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GOVERNOR CALLS SPECIAL SESSION

General Assembly to Meet September 24th for Period of Twenty Days

AMENDMENTS AND RAILROADS

Just Freight Rates and Constitutional Changes to be Subjects Before Extraordinary Legislative Session

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 18.—A proclamation was issued this afternoon by Governor Craig for the General Assembly to convene in extraordinary session September 24th, the session having a constitutional limitation of 20 days.

The proclamation declares the special session to be for the following specific purposes:

"First, to provide for the people of North Carolina just transportation rates and adjust the relations and obligations between the State of North Carolina and the railroads operating within the territory of this State.

"Second, to receive the report of the Constitutional Commission and to consider the submission to the people of amendments to the Constitution."

Speaking of the call for the Legislature, Governor Craig said:

"The last Legislature passed a resolution providing for an extra session of the General Assembly in order that amendments to the Constitution might be submitted to the people. The General Assembly created a commission to prepare such amendments and report them to the Governor. This commission has completed its work. An extra session of the Legislature is therefore necessary.

"The negotiations between the representatives of the railroads and Corporation Commission have not in my opinion resulted in any understanding sufficiently definite to delay the call for the extra session. Their negotiations will not be interfered with by this call, and before the meeting of the General Assembly of September 24th, there is ample time in which to arrive at an agreement. I earnestly hope that there will be an amicable adjustment of our differences with the railroads.

"I cannot do otherwise than submit the questions, so vitally affecting the people of North Carolina, to their chosen representatives."

CONGRESS CONDENSED

Washington, July 18.—Senate: Met at noon.

President submitted nominations for confirmation.

Lobby investigating committee continued to hear M. M. Mulhall.

Democrats submitted report on tariff bill showing an average reduction of 27.64 per cent from existing rates.

Senator Root attacked income tax provision of tariff bill.

Tabled Bristow resolution calling on President for information as to what salary would be sufficient to keep Secretary Bryan at his post.

Sharp exchange occurred between Senators Bristow and Ashhurst when Bristow accused the latter of sending telegrams at government expense.

Senator Townsend attacked Secretary Bryan for his lecture tours.

Adjourned at 5:35 P. M. to noon tomorrow.

House: Met at noon.

Resolution of Representative Kahn for investigation in Caminetti case was tabled.

Representative Johnson, of South Carolina, introduced bill for hospital at or near Spartanburg, S. C., for investigation and treatment of diseases, especially pellagra.

Representative Dillon introduced bill to prohibit franking of speeches or remarks of Senators or Representatives.

Representative Towner introduced bill to extend life of Aldrich-Vreeland currency law for four years.

Representative Knowland, of California, introduced bill for Federal regulation, identification and registration of automobiles.

Adjourned 1:48 P. M. until noon Tuesday.

CHINA'S PART A MILLION

Celestial Government Gets Big Railroad Dividend

Tokio, July 18.—According to the Jiji, one of the leading Japanese newspapers, the Imperial government's share in this fiscal year's profits of the South Manchurian Railway Company will be yen 2,000,000 or $1,000,000 United States currency. The government's return last year was $750,000, thus showing an increase profit of 25 per cent in one year.

The total net profit of the road this fiscal year is yen 4,926,000, or almost $2,500,000, and of this the government draws its 40 per cent, as per agreement. The dividend to private stockholders this year will be six per cent.

A still greater profit is expected next year in view of the tariff agreement which went into effect two weeks ago, whereby a reduction of 30 per cent in duty is given on all goods entrained at Antung for delivery in Manchuria. This substantial concession, which will lead to increased traffic on the South Manchurian Railway, was forced from China by Russia when the Bear controlled the line, and the Japanese have been waiting impatiently for the date when this additional concession would become effective.

JAMES W. BELL DEAD.

Manager of Thomasville Fertilizer Co. Answers Summons.

Thomasville, Ga., July 18.—James W. Bell, manager of the Thomasville Fertilizer Company, was found dead in bed at his home here this morning by servants who had gone to call him to breakfast. His death is attributed to heart failure.

SECRETARY BRYAN'S SALARY

Senator Townsend Attacks the Secretary for Making Paid Lectures During His Tenure of Office to Increase Income.

Washington, July 18.—"Aside from the technical and legal question of the right of a public servant to sell his services twice, the public announcement by Mr. Bryan that a man of his well-advertised Democratic tastes cannot live on an income of $12,000 a year, presents a moral question for the consideration of the American people," declared Senator Townsend, Republican, of Michigan, in a speech in the Senate today.

"The question is simply this, whether, under the circumstances, it is the duty of the citizen and the public servant to modify his style of living to bring it within his legitimate income, or whether it is his privilege to re-sell his services in order to cover the cost of the style of living he has adopted."

Senator Townsend's speech was an attack upon the Secretary of State, for his proposal of making paid lectures during his tenure of office, to increase his income.

He declared other cabinet officers were living on $12,000 salaries; that subordinates in the government departments would not be allowed to do other work while holding their positions; and that because of his previous attitude before the people, Mr. Bryan should have felt an obligation to live within more rigid lines.

"For more than 15 years Mr. Bryan has posed as a public censor of man and measures," said Senator Townsend. "He has preached the duties of citizenship and assumed to establish standards of public service. His public acts, therefore, more than those of any other man except the President, are of influence in the fixing of standards of public service and public policy. If the American people remain silent at this time and by their silence give their inferential approval or assent to the policy Mr. Bryan has announced, that attitude of an official toward his duties must be assumed to be a permanent feature of our governmental institutions.

"For my part, I feel impelled to voice a protest. I am no respector of persons. I see no reason why the head of a department should be permitted to make private gain by methods that are forbidden to his subordinates. I see nothing in his announced policy that is not equally available to any man or woman in the government employ, and certainly no one will question the assertion that the general application of that policy would mean the absolute ruin of public service.

"It has been ordered by another member of the cabinet that postmasters shall not engage in any other business than that relating to their offices as postmasters. The same rule is applied to other subordinate Federal office holders. Why this discrimination in favor of a high salaried officer against the low salaried one?

"Mr. Bryan says he is selling his time, energies and talents to private individuals or organizations because his official salary is not enough for him to live upon. He is receiving $12,000 a year. In the government service there are thousands of employes who receive less than one-tenth of that sum and who, in these days of high cost of living, find it difficult to live within their income. Not one of these thousands, however, is permitted to abandon his post of duty and sell his time and energies and talents to others for the reason that Mr. Bryan has given for his action. If Mr. Bryan's example shall be followed by public employes generally who can see the extent of injury to the public service?

"If we are to adopt the policy of placing the dollar above public duty, then the door of oportunity should not be opened to one citizen and closed to another. If there is to discrimination, it should be in favor of the poorly paid man, but I see no reason why a distinction should be made.

"At a time when most unusual foreign complications confront us, when the Japanese question is before us, when our relations with the disturbed republic to the south of us are most grave and fraught with mighty responsibilities; when treaties affecting our relations with various nations of Europe are pending and awaiting the action of this nation; when the question of Panama canal tolls is pressing hard upon us; when the alleged claims of Colombia are being urged; when the Congress is dealing with the tariff containing provisions which may affect our diplomatic relations with other countries, indeed at this time above all others the statement of Mr. Bryan that he proposed to desert his office, for the purpose of personal financial gain comes as a shock to all thoughtful people.

"This action is even more inexcusable when it is known that the Secretary has been in office but a few months and from the nature of things he cannot have become familiar with all of the responsibilities of his great position. The Secretary of State is regarded as the most important executive officer of the government below the President. He is premier of the cabinet, he should be the first example of faithful intelligent devotion to duty.

"I know of nothing more unfortunate to the cause of public virtue and singleness of purpose for high ideals than this expressed determination of Mr. Bryan, upheld by the reasons which he gives. When he entered into the implied contract with the government to serve as Secretary of State he knew what the salary of that position was. He had for years proclaimed the doctrine of the simple life—of pure democracy. He knew that $1,000 per month was the compensation he would receive from the government. To a majority of people in public and private life that compensation seems most adequate, and yet now he declares to the country that it is insufficient to meet his expenses as Secretary of State.

"His salary is the same as that received by the other cabinet officers and no one of them has complained that it is inadequate. How now are the virtues of economy and simplicity to be impressed upon the people when their great advocate states that it is necessary for him to capitalize

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MADE EFFORTS TO CONTROL ELECTION

Mulhall Letters Describe Political Intrigues of the Manufacturers

CANNON'S CAMPAIGN OF 1908

Correspondence Tells How National Association Proposed to Aid in the Re-election of Former Speaker Cannon.

Washington, July 18.—How the National Association of Manufacturers proposed to concentrate its energies, if necessary, for the re-election of former Speaker Cannon in the 1908 campaign was described in one of the first of the "Mulhall letters" brought before the Senate Lobby Committee today.

The letter bearing on Cannon was written to Mulhall by Secretary Schwedtman, of the manufacturers, on August 17th, 1908, and declared all energies would be concentrated in "Cannon's district, if there is the slightest occasion for it."

Senator Reed questioned Mulhall about Congressman Bartholdt.

"I always understood Schwedtman and Van Cleave looked after Bartholdt and that the brewery interests helped," replied Mulhall.

The committee decided immediately to hear S. W. McClave, Republican candidate for Congress in the Sixth New Jersey district, where a special election is to be held Tuesday.

Mulhall testified yesterday that he had run McClave's campaign against William Hughes in 1910.

The cross-examination of Mulhall on McClave yesterday aroused the ire of the two Republican members of the committee, who declared it was an attempt to play politics.

Schwedtman wrote Mulhall August 26th about the situation in Indiana, which, he said, was "very critical," and added "if we win most of the credit will be due to your good work. If some of our political friends should forget it later on I want to take a trip with you into Indiana for the specific purpose of laying these good people over our knees and giving them the kind of a spanking they ought to have."

In August a fight in the 11th Wisconsin district, where John J. Jenkins was up for re-election apparently was worrying the manufacturers, although the National Brewers' Association through its National chairman, wrote Mulhall it was "their fight."

Edward Hines, Chicago lumber man, who figured in the Lorimer case, came into the hearing again today. Mulhall swore that in a letter to the manufacturers, August 27th, Hines spoke of a promise to send $1,000, to "go in the right channel to be used for legitimate purposes" in the Jenkins district.

Schwedtman wrote Mulhall on August 28th:

"I don't consider Teddy nor Taft, nor Sherman, nor Fofaker, nor the rest of those great men equal to Van Cleave, Parry, Kirby and the others, who have given freely of their energy

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SITUATION IN CHINA IMPROVED

Disorder Resulting from Rebellion in Southern Provinces Quelled—Fewer Soldiers Deserting Government Ranks

Piking, July 18.—The situation brought about by the rebellion in the southern provinces of China has improved somewhat today, regarded from the northern point of view. Fewer soldiers have deserted the government of Provisional President Yuan Shi Kai than authorities had anticipated.

Heavy fighting is expected at Kiu Kiang, in the province of Kiang Si, after the lull following the recent defeat of the southern forces at Hu Chow in the province of Che Kiang.

The southerners have been joined by the forts at Wu Sung, a seaport ten miles north of Shanghai, and at Nanking, the southern capital both in the province of Kiang Si, while the large force of troops occupying them has also gone over to the rebels.

Leaders of the southern forces issued a proclamation today announcing the appointment as President of the Republic of Tsen Chun Hsuan, a former viceroy of Canton and Yuan Kai's old enemy. Wang Chung Wei is named foreign minister, and Cheng Hsuan finance minister. All three are considered fanatics in northern circles.

The southern rebels yesterday killed 20 officers who had remained loyal to the Peking governmen, including the Governor of the province of Ngan-Hwei.

Provisional President Yuan Shi Kai had a long conference with the loyal generals today. Plans for the suppression of the rebellion were discussed. The belief prevails very generally in Peking that the Japanese are financing the revolution in the southern provinces, and some of the newspapers assert that 40 Japanese army officers are with the rebel troops.

INSPECT ARMY POSTS.

Secretary of War and Party Escorted to Fort Oglethorpe.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 18.—Secretary of War Lindley M. Garrison, and party, on an inspection tour of army posts, arrived in Chattanooga from Atlanta early today. The party was escorted to Fort Oglethorpe in automobiles and spent most of today looking over the government grounds and equipment there.

WEBB FILES ENDORSEMENTS

Democratic State Chairman Lays Before Senator Overman His Claims for District Attorney—Well Pleased.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 18—The letters of endorsement of Chairman Charles A. Webb, of Asheville, for district attorney for Western North Carolina, were laid before Senator Overman today by Chairman Webb and James P. Cook, of Concord.

Cameron Morrison, of Charlotte, was expected to attend the conference, but notified Mr. Webb that he could not reach Washington until next week. At that time another conference will be held with Senator Overman and the subject disposed of.

Both Messrs. Webb and Cook, it is said, were well pleased with their talk with the junior Senator today. It is said that Mr. Overman told his visitors he had not made up his mind whom he will appoint for the Western job and that he would not make a selection until all candidates had been heard.

After the conference with Senator Overman, Chairman Webb issued the following statement:

"We had a very pleasant, agreeable and cordial conversation with Senator Overman. I am thoroughly satisfied and pleased at the present status of things. The Senator heard us politely and was very much interested in my hundreds of endorsements. He stated to us that he had not come to any conclusion as to whom he would recommend, and said in the most positive and emphatic language that he was undecided on the proposition and that he had never made any promises to anyone, nor had he committed himself, newspaper reports to the contrary notwithstanding. I am thoroughly satisfied with the situation."

Besides Senator Cook, Col. P. M. Pearsall, of Newbern, and Col. Al H. Fairbrother, of Greensboro, asked Senator Overman to recommend the Asheville man.

Senator's Grandchild Dead.

Senator Simmons was unable today to fire the opening gun on the tariff because of the death of his little granddaughter, Eliza Humphreys Andrews, which occurred at Raleigh last night. The senior Senator will make the opening tariff speech tomorrow. Senator Stone, of Missouri, ranking member of the Finance Committee, informed the Senate that Mr. Simmons was unable to be on the floor of the Senate, but that he would deliver his speech Saturday.

J. M. Cook, of Louisburg; Garland Ferguson, of Greensboro, and State Senator Ward, of Newbern, are here.

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JEFFRES-ADAMS NUPTIALS.

Secretary of Daily News Weds Cousin of Judge Clark.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 18.—Miss Louise Bond Adams was married to Mr. Edwin Bedford Jeffres yesterday evening at 6 o'clock in Holy Trinity church, Rev. T. G. Faulkner officiating. It was a very simple wedding and without attendants. The bride and groom entered together from the vestry. The bride wore a handsome tailored traveling suit of blue.

The bride is a daughter of the late Lawrence A. Adams and with her mother has lived here a short time, coming from Morganton, to which place they had moved from Augusta. She is a cousin of Miss Lucile Clark and Mrs. J. W. Nicholson, of this city, and Chief Justice Walter Clark.

Mr. Jeffress is a son of C. J. Jeffress, of Canton, and a grandson of the late Capt. E. B. Jeffress, of South Boston, Va. He graduated in the class of 1907 from the State University, taught a while at Bingham School at Asheville, and is now secretary-treasurer of the Greensboro Daily News. After a short stay in "the land of the sky" they will be at home in Greensboro.

WELCOME NEW TRAIN.

Greensboro People Pleased by Corporation Commission Order.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 18.—People of Greensboro and those living between here and Mt. Airy are much pleased at the action of the corporation commission in requiring the Southern Railway to put on a new passenger train between Sanford and Mt. Airy. The new train will take the place of a mixed train now run from Sanford here, but will give double daily service by way of Stokesdale to Mt. Airy. Mr. R. R. King, of Greensboro, has led in the fight on behalf of Greensboro for this train, while a number of prominent Mt. Airy people have been behind the petition.

OUTLINES

Senate Lobby Investigating committee continues hearing testimony of Martin M. Mulhall.

The disorderly conditions in the Southern provinces of China resulting from a recent rebellion, are improved.

Bulgarians charge Greek troops with ignoring the Red Cross sign and massacreing the entire population of Kilkish.

Southern Wholesale Grocers Association adjourns session at Charlotte, selecting Charleston, S. C., as the next meeting place.

Bryan's statement that he cannot live on the Secretary of State's salary of $12,000, is the subject of much discussion in official circles at Washington.

Democrats of the Senate Finance committee submit formal report on the Underwood-Simmons bill showing an average reduction of 27.64 per cent from existing rates.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent; last loan 2 1-4; closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-4. Flour firm. Wheat firm. Corn firm. Turpentine steady. Rosin easy. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.40; middling gulf 12.65; sales 1,400 bales.

Hear "A Day at West Point"

Played by the Lumina Orchestra tomorrow night, descriptive of a day in the barracks from "reveille" to "taps."

(Advertisement.)

SENATE IN BITTER DEBATE YESTERDAY

Chautauqua Lectures of Secretary of State Start Warm Controversy

SENATORS GREW PERSONAL

Senator Bristow's Resolution Defeated, He Makes Heated Speech, Charges and Countercharges Heard—Lines Drawn.

Washington, July 18.—Secretary Bryan's policy of lecturing in his vacation time involved the Senate in a bitter controversy today. It began when Senator Bristow, ignoring the defeat of his resolution directed at Mr. Bryan's action, insisted upon being heard in severe criticism of the cabinet officer.

Before the debate ended, charges and countercharges between Senators on the two sides of the chamber had brought the Senate to a high pitch of excitement. Senator Ashurst produced an old letter of Senator Bristow's which he declared indicated that Mr. Bristow in 1906 had been perfectly willing to take a Federal position and devote only part of his time to it.

Senator Bristow retorted with the charge that Senator Ashurst has spent over $100 of public funds sending private telegrams that should have been paid for from his own pocket, a charge denied by Senator Ashurst, but which Senator Bristow agreed to prove by producing original telegrams that had been paid for out of Senate funds.

From these personal accusations, the debate went into the general field of public lecturing and writing, and Democratic Senators called attention to the chautauqua platform work of Senator Bristow and many others, and to the newspaper writing that Senator Bristow had done during the last Baltimore convention. The Kansas Senator emphatically declared that he had never neglected the duties of his office.

"I am not on trial here," he said.

"I simply want to show that people who live in glass houses should not throw stones," said Senator James.

Senators Bristow, Townsend, Fall and others attacked in strong language the action of Secretary Bryan in delivering paid lectures during a time when they claimed public questions required his close attention to the affairs of the State Department.

The Bristow resolution introduced on Tuesday, calling upon the President to state what salary would secure all of Secretary Bryan's time, was tabled by a vote of 41 to 29, as soon as it came up today, all the Democrats and Senators Borah and Poindexter opposing it.

A prepared attack upon Secretary Bryan's action by Senator Townsend, and an extensive defense by Senator Lewis illuminued the oratory of the day. Senator Townsend insisted the example of the Secretary in selling his time for private gain when it had already been sold to the government was unwholesome for the entire country.

Sudden Growth of Piety.

Senator Lewis asked when the Senator from Kansas and the Senator

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SOUTHERN GROCERS ADJOURN

Session Ends at Charlotte—Charleston Chosen As Next Meeting Place—Resolutions and Recommendations Adopted

Charlotte, N. C., July 18.—After selecting Charleston, S. C., as the meeting place for next year the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association adjourned here this afternoon after being in session since Wednesday. Earlier in the day the following officers were elected:

President—J. H. McLaurin, Jacksonville, Fla.

First Vice President—J. D. Faucette, Bristol, Tenn.-Va.

Second Vice President—W. T. Reeves, Tupelo, Miss.

Treasurer—C. W. Hartelson, Jacksonville, Fla.

A board of directors containing representatives from the 13 States and the District of Columbia, comprising the association were elected also.

Resolutions were adopted and recommendation were adopted endorsing the Newlands bill now pending in Congress for the elimination of the destructive features of the floods that annually menace the Mississippi Valley, that the executive officers and individual members interest themselves in the proposition of exacting from transportation companies the demurrage charges required of the consignee.

That the executive officials and individual members interest themselves in securing that legislation in the various States which will not prohibit the sale of any and all household articles and proprietary remedies by licensed merchants.

That the executive officers indicate to the National Credit Men's Association endorsement of its efforts to produce reforms in the National bankruptcy law.

That the president of the organization communicate with the various manufacturers that certain paper containers used by them are not conducive to safe carriage and their use should be discontinued.

That the association approve the activities toward the securing of the first class postage rate from two to one cent.

The grocers will be taken by special train to Reidsville tomorrow for a tour of inspection of the tobacco manufacturing industry of that place.

IGNORED RED CROSS FLAG

Bulgarians Charge Greek Troops Ignoring Hospital Insignia and Massacreing Entire Population of Kilkish.

Sofia, July 18.—The general commanding the Bulgarian army operating against the Greeks officially charges the Greek troops with deliberately raking with their cannon fire the hospital at Demir-Hissar, ignoring the Red Cross flag.

A few of the hospital attendants fled, the general says, but the remainder of the nurses and all the patients were killed. A few of the sick and wounded who had managed to crawl out from the ruins were shot down by Greek soldiers.

The general also charges the Greek troops with massacreing the entire population of Kilkesh.

Battle Progressing.

London, July 18.—Except for a report coming by way of Paris that a battle is progressing between the Rumanians and Bulgarians at Belogradchik, 65 miles northwest of Sofia, which was not mentioned today in direct dispatches received from Bucharest, the general situation in the Balkans remains unchanged.

Bulgaria now is seeking through Italy to obtain peace terms from Rumania, but no progress appears to have been made towards negotiations and all three of her enemies are closing in on Bulgaria with the apparent determination to dictate peace when their armies occupy Sofia.

Coalition Cabinet Formed.

Sofia, July 18.—A coalition cabinet was formed today by M. Radoslavoff, Liberal leader in the Bulgarian parliament to take the place of the cabinet of Premier Daneff, which recently resigned. The new cabinet consists of Liberals and Stambuloff Nationalists. M. Guenadieff has been appointed foreign minister.

RAILROADS' WAGE DISPUTE

Board of Mediation to Decide Important Questions for Trainmen

New York, July 18.—The Eastern railroads engaged in a wage controversy with their 80,000 trainmen and conductors indicated tonight their willingness to leave with the board of mediation and conciliation appointed by President Wilson the decision as to which questions are to be submitted for arbitration under the Newlands act.

In a letter to the leaders of the trainmen, the conference committee of managers said it seemed to them "that the immediate difference of opinion relating to the points to be submitted for arbitration is a matter to be considered by the board of mediation and conciliation."

The managers had reference to their demands, that "all questions of pay and working conditions" be settled along with the men's demand for better wages.

The roads in their letter to the men tonight, while describing their position as unchanged, expressed themselves as "willing" to refer their demands to the mediation board.

President Lee, of the Brotherhood trainmen commented upon the change in wording. He expressed belief that a comparison of the phraseology of the two letters indicated that a modification of the roads' position has taken place within the last 48 hours.

In their letter the managers quoted from the record of the meeting between conference committee and the trainmen's officials on July 16th, when A. B. Garrelson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, had asked the men's attitude.

"We, ourselves," the record quoted Mr. Garrelson as saying, "haven't discussed the question of bringing mediators in. I will say to you frankly that this condition might readily arise: that if disagreement arose between us in the matter of formulating the stipulations which the Newlands bill calls for that it would undoubtedly be a desirable thing to do."

Both the managers and the trainmen's committee will hold conferences tomorrow morning, the men to discuss the letter received tonight from the roads. Both sides are marking time pending the calling of a meeting with the mediation board after its members have been confirmed by the Senate. The men reiterated their purpose to demand that this meeting be held at once and indicated that a strike would be called within 24 hours after if the roads refused to sign a stipulation that only the men's demands were to be submitted for arbitration. The men hope the meeting with the board can be held Monday.

Seth Low, president of the National Civic Federation, addressed the railroad managers in conference today. He urged them to abandon any thought of submitting their grievances to arbitration at this time.

Washington, July 18.—The new Federal board of mediation and conciliation will hold its first meeting here tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock to organize and prepare for immediate consideration of the controversy between the Eastern railroads and their 80,000 trainmen and conductors. The call was issued today by Judge William Lea Chambers whose appointment as commissioner with those of the other members ofthe board was sent to the Senate by President Wilson earlier in the day.

According to custom the nominations were referred to a committee and will be reported tomorrow, but their immediate confirmation is considered certain and Judge Chambers is going ahead with plans for the board's work. The judge will leave Sunday night for New York to confer with representatives of the railroads and the employes and it is not likely that the controversy will be brought officially to the attention of the board before that time.

The first meeting of the board would have been held this afternoon but owing to the absence in Boston of one of the members, Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of the Labor Department, it was decided to wait until tomorrow. A telegram was sent to Mr. Post urging his return.

Judge Chambers said tonight that the board would sit permanently in Washington, and he hoped to have as many of the meetings here as possible.

MAJORITY SUBMITS REPORT ON TARIFF

Formal Consideration of Underwood-Simmons Bill Begins in Senate

SIMMONS TO OPEN THE DEBATE

Senator Gallinger Will Lead Republican Hosts, Senator Simmons Opening Debate for the Majority—Reductions.

Washington, July 18.—With the submission today of the report of majority members of the Finance committee on the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill, formal consideration of the measure was begun in the Senate, but continued a few moments only because of the unavoidable absence of Senator Simmons, detained on account of death in his family.

Senator Simmons will inaugurate the debate tomorrow with a speech setting forth the general views of the Democratic majority and the needs for tariff revision. Senator Cummins served notice he would speak on behalf of the minority, and he may follow Senator Simmons tomorrow afternoon. Senator Smoot and Burton plan to talk on Monday.

Republican Senators in conference today re-affirmed Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire, as their leader to assume charge of the tariff debate, and agreed to support requests of Republicans for record votes when desired as amendments.

Average Reduction 27.64 Per Cent.

An average reduction of 27.64 per cent under the rates of the existing Payne-Aldrich tariff law is proposed by the Democratic Underwood-Simmons tariff bill upon which the Senate began general debate today, according to the report of the Finance committee majority submitted by the chairman, Senator F. M. Simmons.

The report also shows that the bill as reported to the Senate provides rates 4.22 per cent lower than the Underwood bill as it passed the House and that from it, together with other government receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, there will be an estimated surplus in the government treasury of $2,020,000.

A salient feature of this bill, it is pointed out, is the large increase of imports to be admitted free of duty. Under the House bill the value of free listed imports, on the basis of 1912, was $103,000,000, whereas, the Democrats of the Senate caucus, by sweeping changes propose to free list imports valued at $147,367,000, an increase in undutiable imports over the House bill of $43,367,000.

Upon the basis of ten months for the coming fiscal year, the report estimates that the total customs receipts under the new bill will be $266,730,000; from income tax for ten months $58,330,000; corporation tax $37,000,000; internal revenue including tax of $5,000,000 on cotton futures $297,000,000 and that the revenue from all other sources will bring the total for the fiscal year to $996,810,000. With disbursements, estimated for the committee by Treasury experts at $994,790,000, a balance is shown in favor of the government of $2,020,000.

Amendments Too Drastic.

In analyzing its changes in the House administrative features of the bill, the committee "deemed the amendments of the House entirely too drastic," particularly those authorizing examination of books of foreign manufacturers, a 5 per cent tariff discount on imports in American ships and other like features which were stricken out. Particular attention is called to the Senate provision "designated to furnish the President with power to impose tariff duties of a retaliatory character upon all articles comprised in a specified list" which includes many agricultural products.

"For some years," says the report in referring to this retaliatory provision, "there has been a development of maximum and minimum tariffs abroad, and in not a few instances the government of the United States has been compelled to see its citizens subjected to harsh and discriminating tariff treatment abroad without being able under the law to afford relief. The tariff act of 1909 recognized this situation and established a general maximum schedule of duties 25 per cent higher than the general or minimum rates of the law. This maximum schedule has proved embarrassing, clumsy and inadequate, and the situation under it has been less satisfactory than that which previously existed. No material advantages have been derived from it, but, on the contrary, it has stood in the way of successful commerce with other countries.

"The provision now recommended will, it is believed, place in the hands of the President powers which, though extensive in their sphere, are sufficiently circumscribed to permit of their being exerted within the limits assigned them without disturbing the general fiscal system of the United States. Wise use of the retaliatory power will, it is reasonably to be expected, bring about equitable arrangements with those countries which do now afford us fair treatment, and it is probable that the weapon thus provided will be so available and effective as to render its actual use entirely unnecessary under any ordinary conditions."

Of another important feature added by the Senate committee, a tax of one-tenth of one cent a pound on cotton sold through stock exchanges for future delivery, the report says:

"The committee believes the subject matter to be one fit for the imposition of a proper tax, not only because of its indirect influence in eliminating a parasite which has afflicted the business of dealing in purchases of cotton for future delivery, but because it will result in the collection of a considerable sum of revenue from a source which in its usual operation produced abnormal profits from a

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HOW GREAT MEN PLAY THE GAME -:- By Scar

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CHIEF BENDER EFFECTIVE

Easily Won for Athletics From Chicago White Sox—Naps Slipped a Cog—Senators Won From Browns—Tigers Won.

Chief Bender's Big Indian sign was working like magic yesterday and the Athletics easily defeated the Chicago Americans, score 4 to 1. The high priced outfielder recently bought by Chicago, Larry Chappelle, did not serve to baffle the Indian, who allowed the locals but five scattered hits.

The Naps slipped a cog yesterday and permitted the New York Yankees to walk away with the game by a 2 to 5 score. Vean Gregg allowed 12 hits, while Ford, of the Yanks was only hit for six.

The Senators had easy money winning from the St. Louis Browns, the score being 5 to 1, after the game had gone for 12 innings with the score a tie.

The Tigers easily defeated the Boston world champions, George Dauss pitching a great game for the Tigers, while Wood was ineffective.

Chief Bender Effective.

Chicago, July 18.—Chief Bender had his Indian sign working against Chicago today and the league leaders evened up the series by winning the fourth game 4 to 1. Manager Callahan had the services of his high-priced outfielder, Larry Chappelle, purchased from Milwaukee, but this did not baffle the Indian, who allowed the locals but five hits.

Philadelphia	000	300	010—4 9 1
Chicago	010	000	000—1 5 1

Bender and Schang; Russell and Schalk; time 1:45; umpires Dineen and Ewan.

Naps Dropped One.

Cleveland, July 18.—Costly errors enabled New York to win from Cleveland 5 to 2 today.

Cleveland	002	000	000—2 6 5
New York	002	011	010—5 12 0

Gregg and Carisch; Ford and Gossitt; time 1:55; umpires Hildebrand and O'Loughlin.

Senators Have Easy Win.

St. Louis, July 18.—Washington found Baumgardner easy today and hit him safely 12 times, defeating St. Louis 5 to 1 in 12 innings.

Washington	000	100	000 004—5 12 2
St. Louis	000	000	010 000—1 7 1

Groom, Johnson and Henry and Ainsmith; Baumgardner and Agnew; time 2:15; umpires Evans and Sheridan.

Tigers Won Easily.

Detroit, July 18.—George Dauss pitched great ball today and Detroit defeated Boston 5 to 1. In the seventh inning Speaker hit a ball in front of the plate and it bounded so high in the air that the runner reached first base before it came down.

Boston	000	000	010—1 4 3
Detroit	000	003	20x—5 8 0

Wood, Mosely, Hall and Thomas; Dauss and McKee; time 1:54; umpires Connolly and McGreevey.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES

Two Games Will be Played at Hilton Park This Afternoon

Two games will be played on Parsley's diamond at Hilton park this afternoon between the four teams composing the City League. The first game will be called at 3 o'clock with the Athletics opposing Company B. At present the Athletics are occupying the bottom rung in the percentage column, but have been greatly strengthened by the addition of several well-known college players, in their effort to climb higher in the race. Hines and Bell will be their battery today, and Register and Burnett for Company B.

The Giants and the Rattlers will hook up in the second game at 5 o'clock and will be well worth seeing, as it is a fight between these two for second place in the percentage column. Holt and Moore for the Giants, and Boswell and Wilson for the Rattlers, will be the opposing batteries. Admission is free and the public is assured of two first-class and interesting games. Cars run within a very short distance of the grounds, and have a ten-minute schedule.

YESTERDAY A "SQUELCHER"

Mercury Climbed to 120 Degrees at Bristol and 105 at Gaffney

Bristol, Va.-Tenn., July 18.—Bristol today experienced the highest temperatures in years. The mercury registered 99 in the shade at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The highest temperature recorded was 120.

Gaffney, S. C., July 18.—Gaffney and this section was probably the hottest place in the country today, the mercury registering 105 degrees. No prostrations have been reported.

∴ STANDING OF THE TEAMS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	60	25	.706
Cleveland	51	36	.586
Washington	49	37	.570
Chicago	45	41	.544
Boston	40	42	.488
Detroit	36	53	.396
St. Louis	36	56	.391
New York	27	56	.325

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	55	26	.679
Philadelphia	46	33	.582
Chicago	44	40	.524
Pittsburg	43	39	.524
Brooklyn	37	41	.474
Boston	35	46	.432
St. Louis	34	51	.400
Cincinnati	33	53	.384

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Chicago 1; Philadelphia 4.
At Cleveland 2; New York 5.
At St. Louis 1; Washington 5.
At Detroit 5; Boston 1.
At Brooklyn 1; Pittsburgh 12.
At New York 3; St. Louis 4.
2nd: New York 5; St. Louis 0.
At Philadelphia 3; Cincinnati 5.
At Chicago-Boston, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.
Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.
St. Louis at New York.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

At Winston 17; Greensboro 9.
At Asheville 2; Durham 4. (10 innings.)
At Raleigh 8; Charlotte 3.

Standing of the Teams

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Winston	41	31	.569
Asheville	38	33	.535
Durham	40	33	.548
Raleigh	39	35	.527
Charlotte	33	41	.431
Greensboro	29	45	.392

WITH THE MOVIES

This is going to be a day of big laughs at the handsome, up-to-date Grand, and one of most delightful comfort, due to the theatre's admirable system of cooling and ventilating the house. There will be four swell pictures and plenty of new music. The price remains the same, 5 cents, any old time. A John Bunny film heads the laugh-producers. It is "Bunny As A Reporter," and the stunts this fat comedian pulls off are howls for mirth Of course, clever Flora Finch ably assists him. Another great ha, ha picture today is "Hubby Does the Cooking," and you can imagine how he does it. Another laughable creation in the Vitagraph's "Three to One," a story of how a livery girl plays a joke on two fat admirers. There is also a great dramatic for today in "Women, Past and Present." It is a film every woman should be certain to see. The Grand has just installed a big Powers picture machine at great cost. It's truly an enterprising move.

Bijou's Week-end

Five big pictures will make up the main part of the Bijou's great delight upon this week-end. The Bijou is the cool spot. The ventilation system is a wonder, two large suction fans constantly expelling the stale air. A great laugh film heads today's collection in "One Over On Cutey," in which a star cast, including Lillian Walker, Harry Lamber, Willie Van and Hughie Mack, will appear, and the story is a scream. There is also the newest "Broncho Billy" film with G. M. Anderson in the stellar role. It is "The Ranch Feud." "Sally's Guardian" is Kalem's great offering and it is a society comedy with a swing. There is also a superb educational film in "What New York Is Doing For Its Deaf, Dumb and Blind," and it is full of entertaining information. Still another valuable film for today is "Cloisonne Ware."

GLASS CURRENCY BILL.

Endorsed by Senator Hoke Smith in Speech Before Georgia Legislature.

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—Hearty endorsement of the Glass Currency bill, characterized by the speaker as a measure which "will free the country from dependence upon Wall Street and make a currency panic impossible," was contained in a speech by United States Senator Hoke Smith, before a joint session of the Georgia General Assembly here this afternoon. Senator Smith came from Washington by special invitation to address the legislators.

High tribute was paid President Wilson for his determined stand in favor of the pending tariff bill, which the Georgia Senator predicted would be made law within six weeks.

IN THE MINORS

South Atlantic League

At Columbus 3; Jacksonville 2.
At Albany 9; Macon 8.
At Charleston 0; Savannah 2.

Southern League

At Mobile 7; Birmingham 11.
At Montgomery 5; Nashville 8.
2nd: Montgomery 4; Nashville 2.
At New Orleans 1; Atlanta 11.

Virginia League

At Richmond 2; Norfolk 4.
At Portsmouth 3; Petersburg 2.
At Roanoke 1; Newport News 5.

Appalachian League

At Knoxville 10; Bristol 4.
At Morristown 11; Middlesboro 0.
At Rome 3; Johnson City 4.

International League

At Toronto 3; Rochester 2.
At Newark 8; Providence 4.
At Jersey City-Baltimore, wet grounds.
At Montreal-Buffalo, rain.

American Association

At Milwaukee 6; Louisville 1.
At Kansas City 2; Toledo 7.
At Minneapolis 2; Columbus 4.
2nd: Minneapolis 3; Columbus 5.
At St. Paul 1; Indianapolis 0.

REGULARS AT ENCAMPMENT.

United States Infantry and Cavalry to be at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 18.—The Chattanooga Encampment Association is prepared to announce with the authority of the War Department that two full regiments of United States troops will be at Ft. Oglethorpe for the 47th annual National encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in September.

The regiments that will be here are the 11th cavalry, already stationed at Ft. Oglethorpe, and the 17th infantry, stationed at Ft. McPherson, Atlanta. The 11th cavalry is recruited to 700 men, while the 17th infantry is recruited to 800, making a total of 1,500 men.

Special parades and drills will be given by these regiments during the encampment for the entertainment of the visiting veterans and their friends.

The 11th cavalry is now on an itinerary through the battlefield section of Virginia, but Secretary of War Garrison assures that local encampment association that it will be back in Chattanooga before the G. A. R. encampment.

Hear "A Day at West Point"

Played by the Lumina Orchestra tomorrow night, descriptive of a day in the barracks from "reveille" to "taps." (Advertisement.)

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M'GRAW MEN SPLIT ANOTHER

Broke Even on Double Bill With the Cards—Phils Dropped One to Reds—Brooklyn Lost to Pittsburg Pirates.

The Giants again broke even on a double-header with the St. Louis Nationals, losing the first game 4 to 3, and winning the second by a 5 to 0 score.

The Phillies dropped their game to the Cincinnati Reds, and thereby allowed the Giants to make their lead just a little stronger. The Reds hammered four of Dooin's star twirlers at will throughout the game.

The Brooklyn Dodgers dropped another game to the Pittsburg Pirates, the score being 12 to 1. The Dodgers' pitchers were very wild and the victory was easy at all stages.

They Divide Another.

New York, July 18.—New York again broke even in a double-header with St. Louis today. The visitors won the first, a loosely played affair, 4 to 3, while the locals took the second easily 5 to 0.

St. Louis	020	000	200—4 6 2
New York	100	000	020—3 4 5

Geyer, Perritt, Sallee and Wingo; Crandall, Tesreau and Meyers and Wilson; time 1:47; umpires Brennan and Eason.

Second game:

St. Louis	000	000	000—0 5 0
New York	100	102	01x—5 10 0

Perritt and Wingo and Roberts; Mathewson and Meyers and Wilson; time 1:35; umpires Eason and Brennan.

Phillies Helpless.

Philadelphia, July 18.—Brown held Philadelphia's batters to five hits today, while the Reds hammered out nine safeties, winning from the locals 5 to 3.

Cincinnati	000	110	003—5 9 2
Philadelphia	000	000	030—3 5 2

Brown and Kling; Chalmers, Mayer, Seaton and Howley and Killifer; time 1:35; umpires Rigler and Byron.

Dodgers' Hard Luck.

Brooklyn, July 18.—Brooklyn's pitchers were wild and ineffective today and Pittsburg walked away with a 12 to 1 victory.

Pittsburg	001	470	000—12 12 2
Brooklyn	000	100	000— 1 5 2

Adams and Simon; Curtis, Wagner, Hall, Kent and Fischer; time 1:45; umpire Klem.

GOLDSBORO STORY DENIED

No Fayetteville Soldier or Other Soldier Arrested for Fight

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 18.—Captain Paul Watson, of Company F (the Fayetteville company) Second Regiment, North Carolina National Guard, today made to The Star correspondent a strong denial of a report contained in a dispatch from Goldsboro published in several papers yesterday that six members of the Fayetteville company were court martialed for engaging in a fight with a Goldsboro contractor at Morehead Sunday.

Captain Watson said that as officer of the day he carried all the prisoners of Sunday and Monday to the regimental court, and that there was not a Fayetteville man among them. Not only were there no members of the Fayetteville command "court martialed" but, according to Captain Watson, there was not a single Fayetteville man arrested during the encampment on any charge.

The Fayetteville officer also said there were no arrests whatever for any such affray as the Moorehead-Goldsboro dispatches told of.

PRICE ON COTTON BAGGING

Senate to Investigate Rise of Two Cents a Yard

Washington, July 18.—The Senate today by unanimous consent passed the resolution introduced by Senator Smith, of South Carolina, directing the Department of Commerce to investigate the rise in price of cotton bagging.

Senator Smith charged that the manufacture of cotton bagging had gotten into the hands of a trust, which recently had advanced the price two cents a yard. This would net the manufacturers $1,600,000, he said.

Senator Smoot insisted that it was a foreign trust and not an American one.

Senator Bacon said he hoped the Department of Justice would take cognizance of the statements that a trust existed in this industry and would act "pretty quickly" in the matter.

Mrs. Frank Pearson

will sing at both afternoon and night concerts at Lumina tomorrow. (Afternoon.)

(Advertisement.)

Detroit, Mich., July 18.—Beckwith Havens completed a flying boat trip from Chicago to Detroit shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon. He followed the route planned for the Chicago-to-Detroit aviation cruise and covered 800 miles. It is said to have been the most remarkable trip ever undertaken by flying boats.

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THE PUBLIC SALE OF TIMBER

Heretofore Ordered to Take Place on June 24th Has Been Continued Until July 24th, as Stated Below:

By virtue of authority vested in us by resolutions of the stockholders and also Board of Directors of the Dill-Cramer-Truitt Corporation, we shall offer for sale at public auction on Thursday, July 24th, 1913, in front of the post office in Suffolk, Va., at 12 o'clock, noon, all the standing pine, cypress and other timber holdings of said company on 20,000 acres, more or less, of land in Onslow and Pender counties, in North Carolina, and fully described in deeds to said company, duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for said counties, a list of which said deeds may be had upon application to the undersigned.

The timber is conveniently located for shipment by either the Atlantic Coast Line R. R. or Norfolk Southern R. R.

At said sale no bid shall be accepted by the auctioneer unless the bidder deposit with the auctioneer a certified check on some reputable bank for the sum of $25,000.00, said check to be returned to the bidder if he should fail to become the purchaser of the property; otherwise, to be used as a credit on the purchase price.

Terms: One-third cash, one-third in six months, and one-third (the balance) in twelve months, with interest from date of sale and to be secured by deed of trust on the property, or other satisfactory security.

Any party or parties desiring more detailed information in reference to said timber can secure the same upon application of the officers of the company.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

United States of America—In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

Theopalus W. Hunter, Annie D. McLeod, and A. C. McLeod, her husband, Complainants, against Maggie L. McEachern, Archie A. McEachern and S. H. Blitch, as administrators of the estate of Duncan J. McEachern, deceased, citizens and residents of the State of Florida, and A. R. McEachern, Defendants. No. 63, Equity.

The defendants Maggie L. McEachern, Archie A. McEachern and S. H. Blitch, as administrators of the estate of Duncan J. McEachern, deceased, will take notice that the Equity Subpoena of this Court in the above entitled cause has been issued against said defendants, commanding them to appear and answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint herein filed on or before the Rule Day, on the first Monday in August, 1913, it being the fourth day of said month, and the Marshal's Return "that the defendants Maggie L. McEachern, Archie A. McEachern and S. H. Blitch, cannot, after due diligence, be found in said District," now they, and each of them, the said defendants, are hereby notified of the beginning of the action in said Court, and of the filing of the Bill of Complaint therein, that the object of this action in accordance with complaint, is for $6,940.90 and interest thereon from March 9th, 1906, till paid, and costs. And that you and each of you will take notice that if they fail to enter their appearance in the Clerk's office of said District Court, at Wilmington, as aforesaid, on or before the day to which this writ is returnable, the complaint will be taken against them, as confessed, and a decree entered accordingly.

(Seal.)

Witness the Honorable Edward D. White, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, at Wilmington, in said District, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1913.

H. L. GRANT, Clerk.

By S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk.

McLean, Varser & McLean, Att'ys for Complainants.

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GOVERNOR HAS PROPOSALS

Took All Day Yesterday to Shape Up the Twelve Proposed Amendments to State Constitution —Charters Issued

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 18.—It required all of today and the closest sort of application to the task for President A. M. Scales, of the Constitutional Amendment Commission; Chairman J. W. Bailey, of the committee on phraseology, and Secretary J. F. Cheshire, Jr., of the commission, to round up the final report ready for presentation to Governor Craig.

The following are the propositions that the commission is reporting to the Governor and the General Assembly in the form that the commission recommends that they be submitted to the people for ratification as part of the Constitution of the State:

"Substitute the phrase 'War Between the States' for the word 'Rebellion.'

"Forbidding the prohibition of the use of the Bible in the public schools.

"Increasing the compensation of the General Assembly.

"Initiative and Referendum.

"Restricting local, private and special legislation.

"Fixing the day for the inauguration of the Governor.

"Enable the General Assembly to provide emergency judges and to restrict rotation of Superior Court judges.

"To enable the General Assembly to provide an Intermediate Court of Appeals.

"To eliminate certain obsolete sections of the Constitution.

"To revise and reform the system of revenue and taxation.

"To require general laws for the chartering of corporations.

"To require a six months' public school term."

The committee may finally make additional subdivisions of the proposals so that there will be 14 of them instead of 12. This will come about through making two proposals of the proposition to provide emergency judges and to restrict rotation of Superior Court judges and through a division of the section as to elimination the term "rebellion" in the Constitution where it relates to the "War Between the States."

Little Eliza Humphrey Andrews, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Andrews, died last night at their Blount street home after an illness of several weeks with inflamatory rheumatism and Bright's disease with complications. The funeral was held this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The little child was especially bright and attractive and was a grandchild of United States Senator Simmons and of Col. A. B. Andrews, first vice president of the Southern Railway Co.

Charters were issued today for the Graham Water Co., capital $10,000 by E. L. Henderson and others, for supplying water to the town of Graham; the Park View Hospital, Inc., of Rocky Mount, capital $50,000 authorized and $25,000 subscribed by R. H. Speight and others, and the Matt Slaughter Co., of Kinston, capital $100,000 by Matt Slaughter and others, for musical instrument and mercantile business.

Governor Craig granted a pardon today for Miller P. Baker, Caldwell county, serving ten years for manslaughter, the pardon being because there has been sufficient punishment. The killing was in a fight that the prisoner entered upon without thought of serious result and in which the killing was in self-defense, the Governor says.

Governor Craig issued a reqnisition today on the Governor of Georgia for Frank McPherson, wanted in Cumberland county for murder.

H. L. Stevens was here today from Warsaw and says there have never been known such fine crops as there are this season in Duplin and adjacent counties. He says the farmers are in the finest sort of spirits. He was here to confer with the State treasurer as to the enforcement of the automobile license tax regulations in Duplin. He represents the sheriff of Duplin as counsel.

SNAKE AFTER THE CASH?

"Stinger" Serpent Clears Store of Clerks and Customers

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., July 18.—Consternation was created in the store of T. U. Lassiter & Son, one of the largest establishments in Snow Hill, when a large specimen of the locally-called "stinger" snake entered the place and for some minutes had undisputed possession.

Hugh Lassiter, the junior member of the firm, encountered the reptile, coiled near the cash register 20 feet from the main entrance. He was frightened and fled, together with the others in the store. The snake was despatched with a stick, and measured a full yard in length. It was beautifully colored with alternate black and red rings, and carried an inch-long fibrous barb at the end of its tail.

H. C. V. Peebles and W. H. O'Berry, local men, today announced that they had purchased the business of the Kinston Woodworking Company, an enterprise of importance. The new owners are overhauling the mill preparatory to beginning operation Monday. H. A. Provonga, of New York, the originator of the old company, was its manager. The new concern will operate as the Neuse Mantel Company.

Born in August, 1877, a mule belonging to L. J. H. Mewborn, a Greene county man, died several days ago. During his entire life of 35 years the hybrid was the property of Mr. Mewborn, and when two years ago he became too feeble for work the venerable beast was retired to finish his existence in a pasture, petted and pampered and free of care. The mule was known throughout the countryside, and years ago the neighbors of Mr. Mewborn ceased to speculate upon the animal's demise, for it seemed that there was little change in the faithful fellow's condition until recently and his extreme age ceased to be a subject of curiosity.

BABE ROBINSON PARDONED.

New Hanover County Negro Granted Executive Clemency.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 18.—Governor Craig pardons John Whitaker, of Wilson county, who has served since 1897, on a 30-year sentence for second degree murder, and is now 60 years old. He is pardoned on recommendation of Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson, who tried the case.

Another pardon is for Babe Robinson, of New Hanover county, who is pardoned from the remainder of a one-year sentence for highway robbery, the judge and other court officers recommending the pardon.

SECRETARY BRYAN'S SALARY

(Concluded from Page One.)

for financial gain his great ability as a chautauqua lecturer because he cannot support himself and family upon $12,000 a year?

"If he had resigned as Secretary giving as his reason the one he did give, viz: that he could not live on his salary and by inference that he owed a higher duty to his desire for wealth than he did to public service there would have been less reason for public complaint, but to hold his office and draw the full salary for only a part of the time he rendered service is in my judgment improper and inexcusable.

"Mr. Bryan was one of the highest priced lecturers in the country before he became Secretary of State. His superior ability as an orator plus the notoriety he secured as a several times candidate for President gave him great drawing powers at chautauquas and he had a right to improve the opportunities thus opened to him, but no man has a right to exploit the public office which he is holding for private financial gain, especially not when such exploitation must of necessity interfere with the performance of the duties which he voluntarily assumes.

"The President is responsible for the public service of the members of his cabinet and, to my mind, Mr. Bryan's action, whether with the President's consent or assent, must be considered as an approved policy unless publicly renounced. Whatever I have had to say regarding the matter is not based upon inuendo nor presented in the form of generalities, but it is a criticism of a concrete example, which, unrebuked, might be assumed to be inferentially approved, and which, if generally followed, would certainly be greatly detrimental to good government by placing individual selfish interest above the general welfare."

ON CHARGE OF IMMORALITY

Winston-Salem Business Man and Stenographer Under Bond

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 18.—W. C. Tise, a Winston-Salem business man, and his stenographer, Miss Lillie Tess, are under bonds of $400 to appear in police court here Monday and answer to charges of immorality.

Some time ago the woman came to Greensboro and took apartments, and to her a child was born. After the birth, the man, woman and child left in an automobile. The child was left with a woman in the suburbs of Winston-Salem, where it died yesterday. Investigation when a burial certificate was requested furnished the police the clue here. Tise is in the bottling business and has a family. The woman is about 18 years of age.

FAYETTEVILLE FIREMEN.

Will Send Horse Hose Wagon to the Tournament Here in August.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "At a called meeting of the Fayetteville Fire Company last night, held at headquarters, it was decided to send a horse hose wagon team to Wilmington next month to compete for prizes in the races of the North Carolina State Firemen's Tournament, which takes place in that city August 11.

"Mr. E. L. Pool was selected captain of the new team, with Mr. L. W. Newton as assistant. The team starts practicing Monday on Rowan street, and will practice every afternoon until the time to leave for Wilmington."

PHAGAN MURDER MYSTERY

Special Session of Fulton County Grand Jury Called for Monday

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—A special session of the Fulton county grand jury today was called for next Monday, to investigate charges against James Conley, negro sweeper of the National Pencil Company's factory, in connection with the murder of Mary Phagan. The call was issued by Foreman W. D. Beattie, of the Jury, after Solicitor Hugh Dorsey had refused to take action on several affidavits accusing Conley.

The trial of Leo M. Frank, factory superintendent, formally charged with the girl's murder, is set for July 28th.

TWO KILLED IN DUEL

T. D. Howard and E. W. King Shot Each Other to Death

Lakeland, Fla., July 18.—In a pistol duel at the village of Montbrock today, T. F. Howard, of Lakeland, and E. W. King, of Montbrock, shot each other todeath. The quarrel, it was alleged, was over King's daughter.

Howard, it is said, was the girl's suitor. His attentions were objectionable to King. The men opened fire simultaneously. Both were killed instantly. Howard was from Maxwell, N. C. He was an Atlantic Coast Line flagman.

SPEAKS IN NATIVE COUNTRY

Governor Craig to Visit Old Bertie, Home of His Youth

Windsor, N. C., July 18.—A feature of the annual reunion of Bertie county Confederate soldiers will be an address by Governor Locke Craig on Thursday the 7th of August.

For 20 years this day has been set apart as the "Old Soldiers' Day" of the year, and thousands always attend. Governor Craig's presence will be all the more interesting because Bertie is his native county and the home of his youth.

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FAYETTEVILLE'S FINANCES.

Revenue of the Upper Cape Fear City Estimated at $58,603.

Fayetteville, N. C., July 18.—In the annual budget of the finance committee of the board of aldermen, the estimated revenue of the city is placed at $58,603.61, while the budget calls for the expenditure of $54,550.

The regular taxes are, of course, the most substantial source of revenue to the municipality, $33,000 being looked for from this quarter, followed by the water and light plants, which are expected to turn in $18,863.61 to the city treasury. The privilege taxes are placed at $3,850, and merchant taxes at $1,200. One thousand dollars is expected from the Recorder's court, and $300 each from the dog tax account and from hacks and hotels.

Interest on the debt is the greatest drain on the city's revenue, $18,650 being set aside for this purpose. Maintenance and lighting of the streets, the fire and police departments, salaries and bridges are the chief items of expenditures. It is estimated that $3,850 worth of water will be used in fighting fire through 77 hydrants.

The $54,550 expenditure provided for in the budget will leave a balance of $4,053.61, which it is proposed to apply to the sinking fund.

SIXTY-YEAR SENTENCE

Buncombe County Negro Given Long Term by Judge Carter

Asheville, N. C., July 18.—Sixty years at hard labor in the State's prison is the sentence passed by Judge Carter on Jack Burton, alias Jack Berry, for the murder of two negro women at a dance hall in this city several weeks ago. Burton pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree in each case and the court accepted it because of a congested docket. Thirty years was imposed in each.

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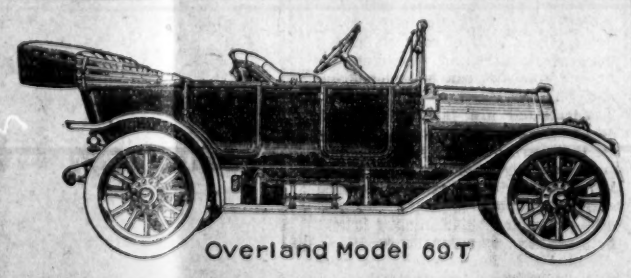

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No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A.M.
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8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
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THE WILMINGTON STAR CO., Wilmington, N. C.

Saturday, July 19, 1913.

No, Eulalie, lecturing is not on the free list.

No man has ever been arrested for being full of push.

By an ignorant man notoriety is mistaken for fame.

The names of pernicious lobbyists seem to be mud as well as legion.

All forward-looking men should follow right after the forward-pushing men.

People who sleep over neglected opportunities don't even know they are asleep.

There is always room at the top because those who get there soon fall down on their job.

Why not sue the Chautauqua Circuit for allienating the predilictions of our public servants?

A man fully realizes that he is up against it when he stumbles over a clothes tree that seems to be all horns.

Men who are wedded to the past ought to get a divorce so they can embrace the attractive opportunities of today.

This time next year a number of men will be setting up the claim that their friends have urged them to run for Congress.

The efforts of the Progressive party of New York to hold a meeting shows that a handful of men are incapable of indulging in a storm of applause.

What became of the old-fashioned Georgia lady whose idea about waltzing was that "it hain't a thing but ras'ling 'cept you don't fall down?"

Secretary Daniels has very little chance to make anything on the side. He is kept too busy running the navy and making free speeches that are on the line of his duty.

Why don't men look the other way instead of seeing things that give their fancied sense of propriety a severe jolt? Our idea of men is that they have more curiosity than propriety.

We need more initiative than referendum in North Carolina. Something ought to be done to break up the habit of doing something next year that ought to have been done last year.

Bulgaria brought on her own defeat by fancying that she could take the lion's share of the territory wrested from Turkey by the Balkan allies. She will now get less than her share. A great many men act just like Bulgaria.

Lecturing is not at all attractive when a lecturer speaks to small audiences. Some men would never supplement their salary if they had to depend upon making people shell out for the privilege of hearing them talk.

A Cleveland girl tore up her marriage license because she said she couldn't bear the idea of not being courted any longer. Anyhow, why doesn't courting keep up as proof that a couple is "happily wedded," as the newspapers say?

Senator LaFollette threatens to speak a week in opposition to the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill. He could not hit upon a plan that would be more effective in making his speech the most tiresome that is to be heard on the subject.

In order to get the railroads to make better rates, let's settle more people along the lines that run through territory where population is scarce. Where there are few people there is little production and generally nothing doing for either a community or the railroad that happens to run through it.

Some contemporary remarked a few days ago that "the proposed Continental Railroad is a joke." It may nor may not be a joke right now, but it would be a big joke on the people of North Carolina if they don't do everything in their power to get either it or some other connection with the Western trunk lines.

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OUR NEW CONSTITUTION.

North Carolina's constitutional commission has turned down the proposal to give the Governor the veto power, but it has recommended an amendment providing for the initiative, the referendum and the recall. Quite a number of amendments have been drafted and they will be submitted to a special term of the Legislature for enactment so they can be voted on by the people in the next election. That will exemplify the referendum itself.

We have never believed that sentiment in the State was strongly in favor of giving the Governor the power to set aside the acts passed by the representatives of the people, but we have noticed a growing sentiment for the initiative, the referendum and the recall. Without regard to whether that is wise or not, we have always taken the position that as this is a popular government and that as the people themselves are the sovereigns, nobody can deny them anything they want unless it is fundamentally wrong and dangerous. If the people of North Carolina, therefore, want the initiative, the referendum and the recall it is up to them to have it, even though it may be like giving a boy a gun to scare his playmates. It depends altogether upon how it is used, whether those who invoke them shall use them intelligently.

The Hon. A. D. Ward, a member of the North Carolina commission, opposed the initiative, referendum and recall proposal because, as he urged, "it was very dangerous and that in matters of statutory legislation it is not needed, because in all really important measures, like prohibition, the referendum is already practiced by the Legislature."

As a matter of fact, the referendum has been exercised in both State, county and city affairs, and already it is a very common thing among the people, even in township school and road bond proposals being invariably referred to the people for their approval or rejection. The prohibition act was referred to the people at the polls. They ratified it, but Mr. Ward fears that it may be invoked to repeal it. As the people adopted prohibition for themselves, we think if it is ever repealed the people ought to take the initiative in doing it. It seems to be wholly in their hands, and they ought to claim the right to vote on the question whenever it is to their interest to do so.

There is as much danger in not giving the referendum to the people as there is in giving it to them. We cannot trust them to vote right today and tomorrow mistrust them in passing on the question as many times as they like. It might not be regarded as wise by some of the people, but we cannot see how the people can be denied anything that is wholly their concern. It depends upon the intelligence, the patriotism and morality of a people whether the initiative, the referendum and the recall can be exercised in a manner to vindicate their wisdom. The so-called "progressive" idea as to those principles is largely in the experimental stage at present and the experience of some States indicates that different localities have different experiences with them. The Washington Post seems to think Ohio's experience with it is enough to condemn it. In an editorial on "A Corrupted Referendum" The Post of Thursday says:

"The people of Ohio threw their old constitutional standards into the discard with gusto in order to put the stamp of approval on the initiative and referendum and other fetiches of populism and progress, only to find that they have been bunkoed. The State is astonished by the revelations of conspiracy and graft of the baser sort brought into play to secure a referendum on the workmen's compensation act recently passed by the Legislature.

"The 'petition peddlers' as the new class of manipulators of forgery and fraud are called, made no pretense of canvassing the voters as to their preference for or against a referendum, but brazenly copied names from registration books and sold the lists to parties who were interested in having the compensation law held up, with the ultimate object of encompassing its rejection at the Fall election.

"Suspicion led to a recanvass of one county by election officials, which was followed by a State-wide investigation showing the ramified character of the plot. The possibility of such a thing never having occurred to the authorities, albeit the petition business has grown to be a recognized profession in some of the primary system States, like Maryland and Massachusetts, the consternation caused by the stunning disclosures has aroused the sponsors and defenders of the new constitution to a high pitch. All the county prosecutors have been summoned to Columbus by the Governor to prepare a dragnet that shall leave no jail unfilled.

"Gov. Cox feels that he ought to clean up the situation all over the State, first by using the criminal law to safeguard the initiative and referendum, and later by the enactment of new laws that will stop further effort to abuse the laws which make the plain people the ruling element. A fine suggestion, born of a high sense of citizenship; but has not the fact been impressed on the Governor's mind, as the Oregon system has been put to the test here and there, that the more legal props you put under an unworkable proposition, the more cantankerous its idiosyncracies Ohio would do well to take a leaf from Oregon, the home State of the populist system of government, whose people manage to endure it by blazoning it in theory, but making it a dead letter in practice."

What the Post says is more interesting than conclusive. On the same grounds we would condemn popular elections of any kind because some of them have revealed "conspiracy and graft of the baser sort." Conditions like that are not because of popular elections or referendum elections but because the people are at fault themselves. If the voters are corrupt it is no fault of the election and referendum laws of Ohio. If a referendum election reveals debauchery in Ohio, a Presidential election would do the same. The place to look for the root of the evil is not in the system of elections, but in the people. Therefore, the main question is, Are the people capable of ruling? We may have a different idea of "Let the people rule" if the people prove themselves unfit to rule.

THE TIDY TOWN.

A clean looking, healthful appearing town makes a big impression on a stranger. It makes a resident feel as if he is living in some town. A city with streets littered with paper, rags and trash, makes a bad impression on a visitor and it ought to give the horrors to people who have to behold it every day. It indicates a careless people and negligent officials. The Richmond papers have been complaining of the litter allowed to blow around the streets of that city, and the result is that an effort is being made to secure action by the city council in the direction of making Richmond a "Spotless Town."

Richmond has a Society for Betterment of Housing and Living Conditions, and it has drafted a spotless town ordinance for consideration by the city council. The News Leader commends it and urges its passage with an amendment calling for the placing of refuse boxes on the principal street corners. That paper urges that half a dozen large tin receptacles for fruit parings, pasteboard boxes, rags, paper and other trash, "which now litters up the streets of Richmond, would aid immeasurably in the endeavor being made to render the thoroughfares of the community presentable instead of presentnig the spectacle of rubbish—bestrewn eyesores."

What Richmond and all other towns and cities need is a street cleaning ordinance with teeth. No city can be kept clean without such an ordinance, and no such ordinance can be carried out without the convenient placing of trash receptacles along the streets. People have to be educated up to throwing their papers and trash into the right place instead of in the wrong place. It is just as easy to hold a piece of paper till a receptacle is reached where it can be dropped out of sight.

Pedestrians are largely responsible for strewing paper on the streets, but there are others. Once educated up to carefully wadding up paper and throwing it into a trash can, it soon becomes a habit with people. It ought to be a matter of pride, and if it isn't there ought to be a penalty for it.

While it is bad enough to have trash flying around on the streets, it is worse to have weeds knee high growing right down town. Of course, a few weeds are bound to escape attention, but we can't see how that crop on the north side of Chesnut street, opposite the postoffice lawn has been overlooked by those whose duty it is to swat weeds and keep the streets clean. Why not make Wilmington chipper looking while thousands of Summer visitors come here daily on their way to the seashore?

THE CORN CROP IS GOOD.

News from every part of the State forecasts a magnificent crop of corn. With the usual number of exceptions in various localities, where the weather has been too dry, the season generally seems to have been just right so far; and where the upland crop has been injured by drought, the bottoms have made up, apparently, for any loss that may have been sustained. The yield per acre is increasing every year and doubtless this year it will be greater than ever. The boys' corn clubs are largely responsible for this. The clubs are a veritable gold mine for the State. The Sanford Express estimates that the Lee county club will be worth 5,000 bushels that would not have been produced without it. Hats off to the one-gallus boy, standing, as Attorney General Bickett has expressed it, with an ear of good seed corn in his hand, by far the most significant and important figure of future development. For corn is the democratic liberator of the people from the tyranny of the aristocratic King Cotton; and when this State reaches the point where its average yield measures up to the average the corn club boys have established, North Carolina will be independent of the West and all other sections whatsoever, in the matter of food products. Corn in abundance means meat aplenty; and both mean freedom from cotton. They mean that not only will money be kept at home that has been pouring out in golden streams to other agricultural sections, but that money will pour into the State for food stuffs.

Good news from North Carolina's corn crop is good news, of a truth; and the tariff, Japan, Mexico and Col. Mulhall may all go hang while we listen to the rustling of broad black corn blades from New Hanover up to the steepest hillside in Cherokee where they shoot it in with a musket.

Yes, we enter our protest against legislative regulation of women's dress. We would be in favor of it if the Legislature had Lady Duff Gordons for members, but as they are composed of men who are responsible for mossbackism and reactionaryism till the country can't rest, we are willing to bet that not one out of a hundred knows a jabot when he sees it. We judge women's taste and refinement by their manner and dress, and for our part we are willing to let them go right ahead and dress to suit themselves. A woman wouldn't go to a cat fight dressed up in any garb picked out for her by her husband. If she sends him to a store to buy something she makes him take it right back.

The fates were kind Thursday evening when fire broke out on the river front. There was no wind and it so happened that both the revenue cutter Seminole and the Clyde Line steamer Cherokee were in port and close at hand, and their help was great. The incident recalls the offer of Captain Carden, of the cutter, who said that if the city would furnish the cutter with hose, it would be in position to aid in fire fighting at a distance from the river. As it is, the cutter can help within a short radius from the river front.

Our idea of a difficult task is embodied in the efforts of Republican Senators to produce an argument in defense of a tariff that burdens the people to enrich the special interests.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Maybe Josephus Daniels might add a little to his salary by newspaper correspondence.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

"A man can go barefooted clear up to his knees without attracting any more attention than a clothes-line without any clothes on it," says the Wilmington Star. But a bare-legged man is such an ungainly, gawky looking object that the compelling power is to look away instead of at him.—Columbia Record.

Governor Craig is entirely true to the genius of the institutions which we have developed in this State when he declares that the initiative and referendum (the frilly kind) are not really wanted or desired here. The initiative is nothing more than the petition loaded down with complicated provisions and involving professional petition shovers, "strike" petitions, etc. Of the referendum we have had two complete examples as Governor Craig points out, within the past 15 years, and are having another right now. We can develop the initiative and get the referendum at any time and upon any question when and whereupon the people of the State feel genuinely concerned. We do not feel particularly called upon to provide busybodies and agitators and special interests elaborate facilities for keeping matters in a ferment all the year round. It does not seem that except upon questions important enough to dispense with such aids the people of the State could wield themselves effectively in the manner proposed. It is fairly certain that the great majority of them do not want to be bothered with the effort, anyhow.—Charlote Observer.

From Asheville, Washingon, and perhaps other points, dispatches have been sent of late, telling how Senatorial politics is very directly involved in the contest now in progress over the position of district attorney for the Western district. Intimations have been rather ostentatiously set afloat, that in the event Senator Overman fails to pursue this or that course, it may have a very blighting effect indeed upon his private political fortunes. We may be permitted to doubt whether these rumors of possible reprisals will be found to comport, either with considerations of dignity or of good politics. There will be opposition to the re-election of Mr. Overman. Reasons will doubtless be offered for the support of other candidates, and it is likewise possible that the validity and soundness of some of these reasons will appeal to intelligent people; but United States Senators ought not to be made and unmade according as they are fortunate or unfortunate in their choice of friends for appointive offices. Nor, by the same token, should candidates enter the field under an inspiration that bears any direct relation to the question of patronage distribution. In the first place, any such candidate would have his inevitable humiliation for his pains. The assumption that he would have any other experience suggests a postulate not at all complimentary to North Carolina voters. Of course, we have reference here to persons who may be disappointed in seeking appointment, and are led thereby to start a series of punitive expeditions. It is different, of course, when high principles are involved. In the Watts matter we believe that Mr. Overman made a mistake of which many of his friends are deeply sensible. Those who led the opposition to Collector Watts had no interest, primarily, in the offices or in personalities.—Greensboro News.

NOT TRUE TO LIFE.

To the Editor of the Star:

It is extremely funny to seafaring men to see a model of a British ship going around the town representing the Titanic, having black smokestacks and an American flag flying, instead of yellow stacks with black tops and a British blue ensign and a White Star house flag. SEAFARER.

Wilmington, July 18, 1913.

KILLED BY A MULE

Spring Hope Man Kicked to Death by Mule He Whipped

Spring Hope, N. C., July 18.—Kicked by a mule he had just struck with a whip to make it get back in the traces, Dave Lester, a young man of this place, was fatally injured while snaking logs. Death followed within a few hours.

GOV. WINSTON IMPROVING.

Has Been Laid Up With Injured Ankle for Weeks.

Dindsor, N. C., July 18.—Francis D. Winston, Esq., who suffered a badly sprained ankle in falling on a stairway in his home here several weeks ago, is improving and is up and about, though he has not resumed his office work. Political forecasts have it that he will be district attorney for Eastern North Carolina.

Capitalists are organizing a company for the manufacture of fertilizer at this place. A site has been bought and the contracts awarded for the buildings.

Hear "A Day at West Point"

Played by the Lumina Orchestra tomorrow night, descriptive of a day in the barracks from "reveille" to "taps." (Advertisement.)

The Farmer's Prosperity

During the past ten years the Farmers of the country have come into their own. They have grown somewhat larger crops by intensive methods, but the real reason of their prosperity is that they have handled their affairs more carefully and have become Business Men as well as Farmers.

A prime requisite in the proper handling of a Farmer's business is a checking account at the Bank. No merchant would try to conduct his business without a checking account, and no Farmer should try to do so.

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WORKING ON FREIGHT RATES

Business Men Ask Railroads to Make More Equitable Rates on Shipments via Wilmington to Inland Points

The business men of Wilmington have asked the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line railroads to make a more just and equitable rate on shipments of goods from New York and other Northern cities which come by water to Wilmington and are reshipped to inland points by rail and, while they have received no definite assurance from the railroads that such will be done, they hope that in the adjustment which now seems likely will be made between the railroads and the State, that such will be done.

This is only a renewal of a fight which was begun over two years ago when the railroads were asked to make an agreement to grant rates which would give Wilmington an equal showing with Norfolk. So far, however, nothing has been done and at the present time shipments made by water via Wilmington to inland points must either be reshipped at Wilmington and take the local rate or else the railroads require the same percentage of the amount charged on the shipment as they do if it comes via Norfolk.

For an illustrative example, take a point ten miles from Wilmington If, for instance, a shipment is made from New York via Wilmington to that point, the railroads charge the same percentage for hauling the shipment the ten miles as they do to bring it all the way from Norfolk, which is usually from 80 to 90 per cent of the whole amount charged. On the other hand, it may be shipped to Wilmington and then reshipped but in that case it will take the short-haul rate.

Mr. J. Allan Taylor, president of the New Hanover branch of the North Carolina Just Freight Rate Association, stated yesterday that if the railroads would prorate on shipments from New York to inland points on a basis of half and half; that is, the railroads to have half and the steamship company half that this would afford relief to the present situation. As the matter stands now, however, no steamship company can go after business via Wilmington to inland points because of the discrimination in favor of Norfolk.

Mr. Taylor was asked why the railroads could not be compelled by the State Corporation Commission to make a lower rate on shipments which were brought to Wilmington by water and then reshipped by rail. He stated that at the present time there is only one ship a week from New York and that the volume of business coming through Wilmington does not justify the Corporation Commission in making such a move. With a State-aided boat line, he stated, there would be a greater number of vessels coming to this port and on account of the lower water rates a larger volume of business.

With the increased business the Corporation Commission would be justified in forcing the railroads to make lower local rates, if they failed to do so of their own accord. Of course, with a private line it is also possible to do this, but some say the great trouble is that once a line doing a sufficient business to justify such a demand is, that the railroads could get possession of it, and the Corporation Commission has no authority over water rates, and they could be made as high as the corporation owning them pleased to fix them.

MUST GET DOG BADGES.

Recorder Furlong Will Fine Violators of Dog Ordinance.

All violators of the city dog ordinance requiring all dogs to have badges will hereafter be fined and taxed with the costs when brought into the Recorder's court according to an announcement made by Recorder Furlong yesterday morning. The ordinance states that the license of $1 must be paid on or before June 10th, and a badge is given to be placed on a collar worn by the dog as evidence that the license has been paid.

The police department has charge of the enforcement of the law, and within the last few days a number have been indicted by warrant for failure to comply with the laws All the cases have been nol prossed with leave upon payment of the license, but this will no longer be done, according to the decision of the Recorder yesterday.

The only cases disposed of by the Recorder yesterday were those in which John Brown, Annie Brown and Katie Field, all colored, were charged with violating the dog ordinance and these were nol prossed with leave, it appearing that badges had been secured. The cases against Alice Smith, colored, and F. E. Andrews for alleged violation of the dog ordinance, were continued until Monday.

The case against J. E. Cowell, proprietor of the Orton Hotel barber shop, for alleged violation of the Sunday ordinance by keeping this shop open on Sunday, has been continued until Tuesday.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors for Tomorrow's Services.

First Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Orange streets, Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M., conducted by the pastor. Communion of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the morning service. Sunday School at 9:50 A. M., and Brotherhood Bible class at 12:20 P. M. Christian Endeavor Society at 8 P. M. Mid-week prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Visitors cordially invited to all services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor—One service only at 11 A. M. Topic of sermon, "Lessons From a Page of History." Sunday school at 10 A. M. Visitors are always welcome. Seats free.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor, Rev. H. W. Koelling, assistant pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath school at 4 P. M. W. C. B. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited—seats free.

Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure expects to preach at Castle Haynes tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Funeral of Infant

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. George, who died Thursday night, was held at the residence, No. 1112 North Fifth street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. George W. McClanahan, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. The interment was at Greenville Sound.

BIG SUIT AGAINST COUNTY

Administrator of I. B. Rhodes Claims $100,000 for Excavating Rock at Quarry—Temporary Restraining Order

The County Commissioners have been stopped by injunction from mining rock from the quarry in East Wilmington where the county has obtained its road material for the past several years. Judge George Rountree, at chambers, yesterday signed a temporary order in the case of Adrain Rhodes, administrator of the estate of I. B. Rhodes, deceased, against the Board of County Commissioners, restraining the county from entering upon the land and premises, from removing the rock already excavated and from excavating any other rock upon the premises. The hearing on the question of a permanent restraining order will be held July 25th at 3 P. M.

The plaintiff has instituted suit in Superor Court for $11,000, $10,000 as damages to the property and $1,000 for rock that has been mined and has not been paid for by the county. The action is brought against only four members of the Board of Commissioners, these being Messrs. M. S. Willard, W. A. McGirt, J. T. Kerr and L. W. Moore, the fifth member, Mr. W. E. Yopp, not being made a party to the action.

It is set forth in the complaint that Herbert McClammy, Esq., qualified as administrator of I. B. Rhodes March 22nd, 1912, and served until June 18th, 1913, when he resigned and Adrain Rhodes, the plaintiff in the action, was named. Prior to June 18th, 1912, the defendants had a contract with the plaintiff's intestate, I. B. Rhodes, to mine and excavate rock on the lands east of the City of Wilmington, known as the Monk land, upon which the defendants had a quarry and were quarrying rock under the terms and conditions of the said contract. It is further set forth that the contract expired June 18th, 1912, and then the defendants conducted the quarry up to December 1st, 1912, under license from Mr. McClammy, and that since then they have been quarrying rock on the property and declined to pay for the rock excavated from the quarry.

A member of the Board of Commissioners stated last night that it is hoped to make arrangements with Mr. Rhodes by which the county can continue to mine rock for 60 or 90 days and to that end a conference will be held with Herbert McClammy, Esq., representing the Rhodes estate, this morning. It was stated that Mr. McClammy had indicated his willingness to make an arrangement of this kind. Some 40 or 50 carloads of rock have already been uncovered by the county at considerable expense. The rock is badly needed by the county and the Commissioners say that the mining of that which has already been uncovered cannot damage the property; that if the property has been damaged at all it was done a long time ago. The Commissioner quoted said that the board is willing to pay for the rock it removes from the quarry and that the 40 or 50 carloads will amount to a considerable sum for the Rhodes estate if the county is permitted to remove it. To be stopped at this time would seriously interfere with the road work of the county.

There is another suit pending in court relative to the land on which the quarry is located. This action is brought by Thos. Keenan against the Rhodes estate.

AUTOMOBILE NUMBERS.

State Law Requires Only One Number to be Displayed.

Under the new State automobile law only one number is required to be displayed on automobiles and it is stipulated that this number shall be placed in the rear so that the tail light shall shine upon it. There is no city ordinance in Wilmington bearing directly on the subject, though there is one stating that all public hacks, drays, automobiles, etc., shall have two numbers displayed unless otherwise required by law. This is construed to mean in the case of automobiles only one number will be necessary, in view of the State law on the subject.

In Charlotte there is a city ordinance requiring all automobiles to display two numbers, one in front and one in the rear. The chief of police of that city has ruled that this can still be enforced, provided the same numbers are used, as the "one" number designated by the State law evidently means that there shall not be different numbers displayed on the same machine, and does not mean that the same number may not be required to be placed on different parts of the machine.

Another interesting point about the new State law is that it allows automobiles to be left on the streets without lights at night provided they are left in a place where the rays of a street light can shine upon them. In some parts of the city automobiles are left upon the streets where the street lights shine rather obscurely, but it cannot be said that some of the rays do not shine upon the machine. The police, however, it is stated, are powerless under the new law to prevent the parking of machines on the streets even though there is a very dim light, and other machines are liable to run into them.

SENT TO THE RECORDER

Justice Harriss Finds Probable Cause in Case of Lena Jones

Lena Jones, a white woman, who was arrested Thursday by Constable Davis on a warrant charging her with the sale of whiskey, was yesterday tried before Justice Harriss. He found probable cause and sent the case to the Recorder. Her husband, Buck Jones, was also arrested yesterday on a charge of selling whiskey and he will have a hearing before Justice Harriss today. Both are in the county jail.

The testimony in the case showed that on two different occasions whiskey had been purchased from her the purchaser paying each time 75 cents for a pint. When Constable Davis searched the house, at the time the arrest was made, he found several hundred bottles and jugs of all kinds, and also found a tub of soap suds in which a large number of bottles had been placed to be cleansed.

During the course of the trial it developed that her husband was running a small store at Ninth and Castle streets, and it was stated that he sold soft drinks and frequently informed his customers that if they wanted something stronger that they could find it at his home. Justice Harriss had a warrant issued making him a principal in the case along with his wife. Jones before going into the mercantile business worked on the street force of the city.

Mrs. Frank Pearson
will sing at both afternoon and night concerts at Lumina tomorrow.
(Afternoon.)
(advertisement.)

SABBATH SCHOOL INSTITUTE

Programme of Exercises at the Twentieth Anniversary of Organization of New Hope Sunday School Wednesday

The 20th anniversary of the founding of the New Hope Sabbath school will be celebrated with a Sunday School Institute at New Hope Presbyterian church at Winnabow on next Wednesday, July 23rd. The exercises will be under the direction of Rev. W. M. Shaw, Sabbath school missionary for the Wilmington Presbytery, who has prepared an interesting programme for the occasion. There will be both morning and afternoon sessions, and it is expected that it will be largely attended.

The New Hope Presbyterian church was organized 20 years ago on Sunday, July 20th, and the Sabbath school has never had a vacation since. Through Summer and Winter, with all kinds of weather, it has continued in existence and a splendid work has been done by its faithful members.

All the Sabbath schools in Brunswick county are cordially invited to send delegates. Persons going from Wilmington may leave early Wednesday morning and return that afternoon. Arrangements have been made with the railroad so that delegates can get round-trip tickets from Southport for 75 cents, and at this low rate it is expected that many will come from that point. A sumptuous dinner will be served on the grounds.

All delegates are urged to study the topics for general discussion, so that they may be able to take part in the exercises. All who can are asked to bring well-filled baskets and also song books so that all can assist in the singing. The following is the programme which has been prepared:

10 A. M.—Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. S. Crowley, chairman of Sabbath school committee, Wilmington Presbytery.

10:15 A. M.—Enrollment of delegates. Election of officers.

10:30 A. M.—"The Sabbath School Under the Care of the Session," by Rev. J. M. Plowden, of Wilmington.

11 A. M.—"Organization," by Rev. A. J. Howell, of Wilmington.

11:30 A. M.—"Historical Sketch of New Hope Sabbath School," by Mr. Jackson Johnson, of Winnabow.

12 M.—Recess. Dinner.

1:00 P. M.—"How to Teach the Lesson," by Rev. W. M. Baker, of Wilmington.

1:30 P. M.—"What the Church Owes to the Sabbath School," by R. M. Phillips, of Clarkton.

2:00 P. M.—"The Rights of the Child," by Rev. W. M. Shaw, Sabbath school missionary.

2:30 P. M.—General discussion. Topics: "The Needs of the Field;" "The Model Sabbath School;" "How to Hold the Young People."

AFTERMATH OF FIRE

Messrs. James I. Metts & Son Will Rebuild Immediately

No change was made yesterday in the estimate of the loss caused by the disastrous fire on Water street early Thursday night which is placed in the neighborhood of $40,000. The buildings owned by Messrs. James I. Metts & Son and C. C. Covington & Co., were burned to the ground together with all their contents. Gen. James I. Metts stated last night that he would rebuild at once, and that as soon as possible he would secure a temporary place to carry on his business.

Mr. C. C. Covington, who was at Clifton Springs, N. Y., wired yesterday that he would reach Wilmington Sunday. Until his arrival nothing can be said as to what this firm will do. However, the firm has a sufficient stock on hand to continue its business and a temporary office will be opened at once.

The ground on which the buildings stood belongs to the Atlantic Coast Line and is held under a lease by the firms who owned the buildings. The Springer Coal Company while a heavy loser did not suffer as heavily as the others, and beyond the loss of the stables will not be placed at a great inconvenience.

The wharf adjoining the burned buildings was so badly damaged that it will likely have to be rebuilt.

The firemen had the fire practically out by midnight Thursday night though a strict watch had to be kept all day yesterday to keep it from getting a fresh start. Although thousands of gallons of water were poured upon the flames and the water flowed around the smouldering embers like a veritable river the hose had to be used at intervals all day yesterday to stop flames that would break forth in different places.

Capt. W. P. Monroe, assistant chief of the fire department, had the misfortune about midnight Thursday night, while directing the work of the firemen, to step through a hole in the wharf causing a severe cut on his left leg. He had a number of stitches taken at the hospital and was able to be in court yesterday where he was called as a witness. He was the only person to receive an injury of any kind during the progress of the fire.

WASN'T SO HOT AFTER ALL

Cooler Than Charlotte, Raleigh and Even Asheville Yesterday

Along about the hottest part of yesterday one had an idea that another record-breaker was due, for it was warm a-plenty and the humidity was great; but the maximum here was only 85. It was 100 in Charlotte, which is real warm anywhere; and in Raleigh the mercury aviated to 98 degrees. Even in Asheville, in the heart of the mountains, it was warmer than in Wilmington, for the record there was 89 degrees.

UNUSUAL OFFER

Sell Dr. Howard's Specific at Half Price and Guarantee a Cure

"It isn't often that druggists have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said J. Hicks Bunting to a newspaper man who dropped into his store, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that basis.

"The Dr. Howard Company in order to get a quick introductory sale, authorizes me to sell their regular fifty cent bottles at half price, 25 cents, and although I have sold a lot of it, and have guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory."

"I am still selling the specific at half price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so, and anyone who is subject to constipation, indigestion or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your readers that they can come right back to my store and I will cheerfully refund their money."
(advertisement.)

FACES TRIAL FOURTH TIME

J. C. Holly Now Answers Charge of Setting Fire to Building to Collect Insurance on Contents—Hearing Begun

Splendid progress was made in Superior Court yesterday in the trial of J. C. Holly on the charge of setting fire to the Rock Springs Hotel, which was conducted by him, early on the morning of August 10th, 1910, for the purpose of collecting $1,250 insurance on his household and kitchen effects, some of which had been removed to Pikeville, Wayne county, a few days before the fire. The maximum punishment for the crime of which he is charged is 20 years in the State penitentiary.

Two sessions of court were held yesterday in order to get as far along with the case as possible this week, but only one session will be held today. It is thought that the case will reach the jury about Monday night. The State will very probably complete the examination of its witnesses today.

This is the fourth time Holly has been placed on trial for alleged happenings at the old Rock Springs Hotel on the night of the fire. At the former trials he was charged with murder—first degree murder since there is only one degree of murder by poisoning, it being alleged that he administered poison to his ward, Edward Cromwell, and then set fire to the hotel.

The State proceeded on the theory that he killed Cromwell to collect $2,500 insurance on the boy's life, the policy having been assigned to him only a few days previous, and that in setting fire to the building his purpose was two-fold—cover up the crime of murder and to collect $1,250 insurance which he had on his household effects. Two indictments were returned against him, one charging murder and the other arson—the State making two shots at him on a capital crime. He was tried three times on the murder charge, finally being acquitted.

He was kept in jail, however, to answer the arson charge. Then at the present term of court Judge Rountree announced that he had examined the bill of indictment and that Holly could not be tried for an offense greater than a misdemeanor under the bill, but suggested that a new bill could be sent to the grand jury charging burning a dwelling to collect insurance. He stated that the defendant could not be held for arson because arson is setting fire to the dwelling house of another and in this case Holly was the occupant and in possession of the building. So a new bill was returned by the grand jury Thursday. It is on this bill that he is now being tried.

Holly appears to be enjoying better health than he did some time back and naturally seems brighter than he did at the former trials when his life was in the balance. He showed not the least signs of nervousness, maintaining that same self-control and composure that marked his demeanor at former trials.

Representing the defendant are C. D. Weeks and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esqs., while Brooke G. Empie, Esq., appears with Solicitor Lyon for the prosecution. There were very few people in the court room yesterday and apparently there is very little interest in the outcome of the case.

It required the entire morning to select the jury, the 12th man being chosen at 1:20 P. M. The jury is as follows: J. H. Bunn, A. E. Townsend, C. E. Craig, T. P. Sykes, S. R. Adams, W. V. Herring, Adolph Nelson, Marsden Sellers, M. D. Robbins, Tom Williams, M. Cherry, S. A. Matthews,

Holly listened with evident deep interest the reading of the bill of indictment, which contains two counts. It is drawn under Section 3345 of the Revisal relative to the burning of a dwelling house for the collection of insurance. Both the solicitor and counsel for the defendant told the court that they did not see any reason why the jury should be kept together at night and over Sunday, as it would only work a hardship on the members and could prove of no benefit to either the State or defense. Judge Rountree thought that the attorneys had shown the right spirit in the matter and he, too, felt that there was no need for keeping the jury together except when the trial is actually in progress.

The taking of testimony began at 1:30 P. M. o'clock, Mr. James Owen Reilly, the well known real estate and insurance agent, being the first witness. Mr. Reilly wrote the insurance carried by Holly on his household and kitchen furniture in the old Rock Springs Hotel. Holly also rented the hotel from Mr. Reilly, who acted as agent for the Hilton Lumber Company, which owned the property at that time. The rent paid by Holly was $20 a month. At the time of the fire Holly was almost two months behind in his rent. The insurance on the household and kitchen furniture was written on June 2nd and the policy was turned over to Holly on June 28th, at which time he paid for it. Holly, he said, told him, in reply to a question that his furniture was worth about $1,750, but he did not want that much insurance. Mr. Reilly said that he reminded Holly of the clause requiring insurance to the amount of at least 75 per cent of the value of the property and Holly then stated that he would take as much as $1,250. This is the amount that was issued on the household effects. At the request of Holly the witness went to the building and took a look at the furniture before writing the policy. As a rule the agents do not make a personal inspection of the property to be insured and Mr. Reilly said he wouldn't have done so in this case if he had not been asked to do so by Holly. The witness saw Holly about 8 o'clock on the morning of the fire. All that was saved from the building were a few trunks and some bedding. Mr. Reilly said that the rooms in the hotel looked barren on the morning of the fire, having considerably less furniture in them than on the day he wrote the insurance.

"Of course," said Mr. Reilly, "I do not know how much of the furniture was burned up in the fire. The back part of the building was burned and there might have been some furniture in that portion of the house I did not know about."

Mr. Reilly told also of the firemen turning up the bedding in room No. 4, the room occupied by Edward Cromwell, who lost his life in the fire. The bedding had been saturated with kerosene, testified Mr. Reilly, and odor of kerosene was strong in the room. The witness took a piece of newspaper and rubbed it on the bed, which was soaked with water. He then struck a match to the paper and it ignited and burned like kerosene oil.

There was evidence that two fires had been started. One did not burn long and went out. The other was the one that caused the damage. What Mr. Reilly designated as "the small fire" was in the hollow of a partition across the hall from room No. 4. This fire burned the lathes for four or five feet upward from the baseboard. There was a small hole in the wall, through which the fire is thought to have been started. The fire that did the damage had its origin in a closet under a stairway in the room used as pantry, adjoining room No. 4, and across the hall from the "small fire." Mr. Reilly told also of oil cans, one with some oil in it, having been found in the building where the fires were started.

In reply to a question of the solicitor, Mr. Reilly said that Mr. Holly had never made demand upon him for the amount of insurance on the household effects.

On cross-examination by C. D. Weeks, Esq., of counsel for defendant, Mr. Reilly stated that he did not know whether the "small fire" occurred the night before or some time previous. He said also that he would have written insurance on the furniture to the amount of $1,750 if Holly had wanted it, and that he did not consider that amount excessive on the furniture Holly had in the place. So far as he knew the furniture that he saw on his first visit and did not see on his second trip may have been burned up. From appearances it was a bad fire.

The cross-examination of Mr. Reilly had not been concluded when court took a recess at 2 until 3 o'clock. He was on the stand only a short time at the afternoon session, being followed by Capt. W. P. Monroe, assistant chief of the fire department, who testified to the presence of the odor of kerosene oil, the finding of the oil cans, some containing oil, one barrel half full of some liquid he did not know what, and half a gallon of gasoline, describing also the location of the fire, and telling of the precautions taken by the chief of the department to guard the building after the fire. Captain Monroe testified further that some of the rooms did not have any furniture in them and others were only scantly furnished. He noticed, he testified, a blue flame burning near the floor, which indicated it was from kerosene oil. On cross-examination he stated that the reason he did not tell of the blue flame at former trials of the defendant was because the question was not asked him; that he could tell a lot of things if questions were asked him. Holly, he said, told him that he had shipped one load of furniture to Pikeville, but that it did not belong to him.

Chief Chas. Schnibben, of the fire department, was the last witness of the day. Nothing new was brought out by his testimony.

Court will convene at 9:30 o'clock this morning and will adjourn for the day at 1:30 P. M., so the trial of Holly will extend over into next week.

At the morning session Judge Rountree passed sentence on Bud Harriss, colored, who was convicted Thursday of stealing a quantity of clothing from Messrs. Farley & Co., giving him four years in the State penitentiary.

SPLENDID EXHIBITION

Capt. Blondell Gave Last Performance at Lumina Last Night

Capt. L. D. Blondell, the well-known swimmer and splendid gentleman, gave his last swimming exhibition at Lumina last night, which was witnessed by three thousand people from Wilmington and the beach. Before beginning his performance proper Capt. Blondell gave a most interesting and instructive lecture on the art of swimming and of lifesaving. He explained the methods used for resuscitation, the different strokes used in swimming, and showed how to learn to swim. All of this was fully illustrated by him while in the water and made it very practical.

He repeated his exhibitions of the previous nights, building a raft in the water, cooking and eating a supper and doing fancy stunts which were exceedingly easy for him apparently.

The captain worked under several disadvantages last night one of these being the strong outgoing tide and another a high wind which made the water choppy. He went through the performance despite these disadvantages which would have caused a less experienced swimmer to have given up.

The grand climax was the sinking of the miniature Titanic which proved to be very realistic indeed. The fireworks produced a pretty effect with the shooting rockets and Roman candles which gave the spectators a striking insight into the means used by ships in distress at sea to attract other ships to their aid. Four members of the Lumina Orchestra played "Nearer My God To Thee" as well as several English airs which made a vivid picture of the scenes that must have transpired on the Titanic on the night it struck the fatal iceberg.

Capt. Blondell will leave this afternoon for York, Pa., where he will give swimming exhibitions next week. Later he will go to Scranton, Pa., and then to Buffalo, N. Y. During his stay in Wilmington he has made a host of friends who hope that he will come this way again at some future time.

BURNETT IS ARRESTED.

Negro Druggist Who Forfeited Bond, Placed in Jail.

J. D. Burnett, colored, owner of a drug store at No. 517 Nixon street, who forfeited his bond of $100 for his appearance before Justice Harriss, on the charge of selling whiskey, was arrested last night on a capias by Deputy Sheriffs H. Mack Godwin and A. C. Reynolds, at the home of Nellie Williams, colored, in the southern part of the city. He was placed in jail and will have a hearing before Justice Harriss.

Tom Monroe, colored, one of the witnesses in the case, who was recognized to appear on July 12th, to testify at the trial, and who, when called, failed to show up, was also arrested last night on a capias and locked up. At the time of his failure to appear in court a fine of $10 and costs was entered against him.

A capias was issued last night by Justice Harriss for J. H. Alston, a colored physician, at No. 414 North Sixth street, and a rule served on him to show cause why he should not be attached for contempt of court by reason of the fact that on last Saturday he sent a certificate to the court that Burnett was sick and that he would have to be sent away for treatment, and that he would not be able to return to the city for several weeks.

Justice Harriss stated last night that he had been reliably informed that Burnett had been on the streets of Wilmington every day since the certificate was issued by Alston.

The trial of Burnett was set for last Saturday, but was continued because an affidavit was sent stating that he was sick and could not come. He is charged with selling whiskey.

A CARD FROM DR. STILES.

To the Editor of The Star:

Owing to the fact that the Wilmington and New Hanover school children are coming to us in such numbers for the medical inspection arranged for them, it is necessary to decline the numerous requests to give the same examination to children not attending schools, to children from other counties, and to adults of the general population.

It would, of course, be a great pleasure to make ourselves as useful as possible to all persons, but the work we are under instructions to carry out is a scientific examination of the school children. Not only is it necessary for us to obey orders but my assistants are already working up to the limit of their strength, and I must safeguard them from overwork.

Much as we would like to comply with the extra requests, it is impossible to do so.

C. W. STILES.
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Wilmington, N. C.,
July 18, 1913.

TWO COMPANIES IN CAMP.

Older Members of Boys' Brigade on Annual Outing at Beach.

The members of Companies A and B, of the Boys' Brigade, went down to Carolina Beach yesterday on the steamer Wilmington, where they will be in camp for the next ten days.

Company C, composed of the younger members of the Brigade, returned from their annual outing yesterday, after having had a most delightful week at Carolina Beach. Col. Walker Taylor is in charge of the older boys, who went down yesterday, and Mr. Chas. Dushan is his assistant. For ten days the boys will throw aside all cares and enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

Mrs. Frank Pearson
will sing at both afternoon and night concerts at Lumina tomorrow.
(Afternoon.)
(advertisement.)

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. J. F. Roache and child have gone to Chester, Va., near Richmond, to spend some time with relatives.

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Mrs. W. H. Vann and Miss Marguerite Vann, of Cerro Gordo, are visiting in the city and at Wrightsville Beach.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Misses Della and Elda Walton, of Wilmington, are the guests of Miss Mamie Baugh, at 525 Newbern avenue."

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Rev. J. D. Bundy and family have returned from a visit to the western part of the State. He will occupy his pulpit at Grace Methodist church Sunday morning and evening.

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His many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. R. M. Nimocks, formerly of this city, but now located in Forest City, Ark., in the wholesale grocery business, is expected here in a few days on a visit to his son, Mr. Geo T. Nimocks, No. 515 North Fourth street.

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MONROE-DEVANE NUPTIALS AT CHADBOURN WEDNESDAY.

Chadbourn, N. C., July 18.—At 8:30 on Wednesday a happy and expectant host of friends were assembled in the parlors of the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. DeVane to witness the marriage of their daughter, Mary Victoria, to Daniel Scot Monroe. To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March the bridal party entered the parlors. First entered Miss Mary Stevens from the left entrance and Mr. David C. DeVane, brother of the bride, from the right. They were met under the arch by the bride's pastor, Rev. Mr. Martin. When these took their places, the bride entered with her sister, Miss Lorena DeVane, as maid of honor. They were met by the groom, who entered from the right, with Mr. Archie Thompson. The bride was gowned in a handsome creation of messaline satin with an overdress of shadow lace. Her bouquet was of white carnations and maiden hair fern. The maid of honor's dress was of pink messaline trimmed with lace. Her bouquet was of pink carnations and ferns. The bride's maid wore a white lingerie dress over pink satin. After the congratulations the guests were invited in the dining room where dainty refreshments were served by Misses Mary Maultsby, Rose Mohr and Lucy Jones.

The many and handsome gifts displayed attested the popularity of the young people. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. DeVane and possesses that charming personality that wins friends for her everywhere. The groom holds a prominent position with the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Co.

The out-of-town guests for the occasion were Miss Louise King, Sumter, S. C.; Miss Mary Stevens, Councils; Miss Mary Maultsby, Westbrook, N. C.; Miss Lucy Jones, Zara, N. C.; Miss Rosa Mohr, Wilmington; Miss Lorena DeVane, Rion, S. C.; Master John Harvey Hunter, Rion, and Mr. T. N. Maultsby, Westbrook.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. T. Foy, of Scott's Hill, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro, was in the city last evening.

—Mr. Geo. T. Rhodes, of Raleigh, was here yesterday.

—Mr. P. O. Leggitt, of Southport, was in the city yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Messrs. A. J. Hines and H. E. Sessions, of Cola, S. C., were at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. R. L. Griffin and B. A. Hallman, of Marshville, were in the city yesterday.

—Misses Eliza Robbins and Penny Carter, of Whiteville, were guests yesterday at The Orton.

—Messrs. W. A. White and J. J. Elder, of High Point, were guests yesterday at The Orton.

—Mrs. S. M. Witherspoon and two daughters, of Chadbourn, were guests last evening at The Orton.

—Included in the arrivals at the Southern Hotel yesterday were H. F. Stead, Maxton; J. C. Applewhite, Currie; C. A. Thompson, Southport; B. W. Hallman and R. L. Griffin, Charlotte; W. J. Shaw, Topsail; W. A. Martin, Chadbourn; E. T. Sanders, Rosindale; J. B. Martin, Greensboro; R. D. Pridgen, Currie; A. E. Gordman, Town Creek.

AQUATIC EVENTS TODAY.

Second in Series Will Take Place at Lumina, Wrightsville Beach.

The second of the season's athletic contests will take place at Wrightsville Beach today. The contest begins at 4 P. M., this series of contests consists entirely of water events. The different events are a canoe race through the surf, two swimming events, tilting contest, diving contest, and a canoe polo game.

The canoe race will be through the surf in front of Lumina and the results of this race will count in the series of five races that take place at different times during the season. Prizes are given for each of the different canoe races, and there is also a grand prize for the winners of the series.

Both of the swimming races will take place in the sound. The course for both of these events will be from the Hanover Seaside Club landing to the Lumina wharf.

The diving contest will be for form. Each contestant will be permitted to use as many as three different styles of diving, and may have two trials at each of the different styles.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Action Growing Out of Purchase of Second Street Property

Complaint was filed in Superior Court yesterday in the case of the City Laundry Company against S. A. Schloss and wife, an action growing out of the purchase by the plaintiff company from the defendant of a piece of property on the east side of Second street, 66 feet south of Princess street, 66x165 feet in size, on September 28th, 1910. The plaintiff alleges that from five to seven inches of the property is occupied by a building belonging to John H. Strauss, who has been in possession of this particular strip of land for over 20 years. The plaintiff company seeks damages in the sum of $2,500.

—Lena Hawkins and Lucy Armstrong, both colored, were arrested last night by Constable Davis and Deputy Sheriffs H. Mack Godwin and E. C. Reynolds, on warrants issued before Justice Harriss, charging them with selling whiskey. They were placed in jail and will have a hearing today before Justice Harriss.

—Although his present commission does not expire until July 31st, Justice Bornemann has already received from the Governor of the State the renewal of his commission as notary public.

SAILORS AND CIVILIANS CLASH.

Soldiers and Sailors Incited by Street Orator Cause Riot.

Seattle, Wash., July 18.—A party of United States marines and sailors from the reserve fleet, most of the sailors wearing the name bands of the cruisers Colorado and California, started tonight to "clean up the town" as they expressed it, by attacking socialist and industrial workers of the world headquarters.

Three enlisted men of the United States army were stabbed last night when a number of soldiers and sailors who participated in the military and naval potlatch parade were attacked by a crowd of men attending a street meeting of Industrial Workers of the World.

The soldiers were only slightly wounded. According to the account given to the police, the soldiers passed the crowd where a woman speaker was abusing the army and navy. As they passed a man shouted: "There goes three soldiers now."

The crowd at once attacked the soldiers and a free fight was on, during which the army men sustained a number of cuts with pocket knives.

Two sailors from the Pacific reserve fleet saw the attack on the soldiers and went to their aid. A riot call was turned in and the police restored order.

A second party of men from the Pacific fleet attacked the big Industrial Workers' headquarters on Washington street, in the Southern part of the city. The contents of the buildings were dragged into the street and a bon fire made of them.

A provost guard of 50 men from the fleet was hurried ashore in cutters to arrest all the men ashore.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels was dining on the cruiser West Virginia, the guest of Admiral Reynolds at the time the rioting began.

The mob re-formed in the northern part of the city after it had been dispersed and went back to the Socialist headquarters on Fifth avenue and sacked the place, destroying the furniture and a quantity of Socialist literature.

About a dozen sailors, all young, were in the first wrecking party that got under way. They were aided by several members of the Washington naval militia and by a hundred civilians who made most of the noise. Waving United States flags the storming party swooped down on the cart news stand of Milard Price, a Socialist orator, at the intersection of Fourth avenue and West Lake boulevard, the busiest night corner in the city. The cart was broken to splinters in a moment and the big stock of Socialist papers and magazines were torn, tossed into the street and jumped upon.

The mob then rushed to a store room occupied until recently by the Industrial Workers of the World at Fifth avenue, North Stewart street. The wreckers found the place deserted. The tenants had moved. They then proceeded to the Socialist headquarters nearby, smashed in the plate glass front and nailed American flags on the front of the building.

Two policemen smiled complacently upon the wreckers. The sailors tore the signs from the front of the building and broke them to pieces and then started to drag the furniture and books into the street, but the policemen stopped them.

There were demands that the Industrial Workers be hunted down and a young civilian in a white suit tried to induce the party to go to the headquarters of the moderate Socialists in an old church on Olive street.

Another set with an appointed leader led the party toward an old church on Seventh avenue, which had just been vacated by the moderates. As the naval men were crossing Pike street at Sixth they were overhauled by an automobile full of policemen, headed by a big captain who told the sailors if they did not disperse he would arrest every one of them.

The men were later scattered by the police. The men shouted to the policemen: "Your mayor won't do anything to protect the flag so we are having your city."

A young civilian who had been endeavoring to incite the sailors, kept shouting to them to "Go and get Mayor Catterrill." No arrests were made.

SUED REGISTER OF DEEDS

Alleged He Issued Marriage License Without Proper Caution

Durham, N. C., July 18.—Losing their case in a justice's court, R. A. Patterson and wife, of Greensboro, have appealed to the Superior Court in an action against Register of Deeds Markham, in which they allege that in granting license for the marriage of their daughter he did not institute proper inquiry as to her age, she being under age. The justice gave a dicision in favor of the register.

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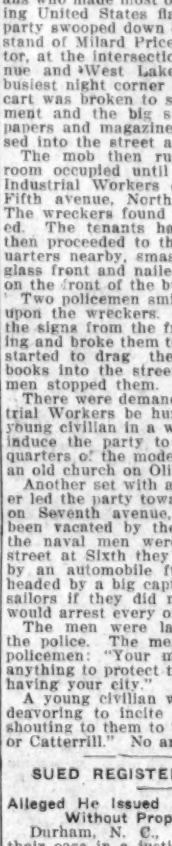

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"I have a lovely baby boy and you can tell every one that he is a 'Pinkham' baby."—Mrs. Louis Fischer, 32 Munroe St., Carlstadt, N. J.

"We are at last blessed with a sweet little baby girl."—Mrs. G. A. Laperouse, Montegut, La.

"I have one of the finest baby girls you ever saw."—Mrs. C. E. Goodwin, 1012 S. 6th St., Wilmington, N.C.

"My husband is the happiest man alive today."—Mrs. Clara Darbrake, 307 Marilla St., Buffalo, N.Y.

"Now I have a nice baby girl, the joy of our home."—Mrs. Dosylva Cote, No. 117 So. Gate St., Worcester, Mass.

"I have a fine strong baby daughter now."—Mrs. A. A. Giles, Dewittville, N.Y., Route 44.

"I have a big, fat, healthy boy."—Mrs. A. A. Balenger, R.F.D. No. 1, Baltimore, Ohio.

Wrightsville Beach

A 12-foot shark, supposed to weigh 800 pounds or more, was caught in a big pound net off Moore's inlet yesterday morning. The shark was brought to the beach and placed on exhibition at the wharf at the Oceanic Hotel.

Aeronaut Johnnie Mack, accompanied by one of his corps of balloonists, will arrive tomorrow to make arrangements for his balloon ascensions next week. Beginning Monday, there will be an ascension in a balloon and a daring parachute drop each afternoon at 5 o'clock during the week.

Among those registered at the Hanover Inn yesterday were Mrs. George F. Payne, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Powell, Fayetteville; Misses Louise and Minnie Humphrey, Birmingham; T. E. Allen, Durham; Miss Celena Bethea, Sumter; Mrs. Phil Osteen, Dillon, S. C.; Albert H. Bennett, Birmingham, Ala.

Six Pullman cars from Atlanta, Ga., arrived yesterday bringing 215 people from various points in Georgia and Alabama. All of the hotels and cottages on the beach are now filled to their full capacity. Quite a number who have been staying at the beach during the past ten days will leave today and tomorrow. New arrivals are coming daily and the prospects are that the beach will be crowded with visitors during the remainder of the Summer.

Prof. Jno. F. Kneisel, the leader of the Lumina orchestra, says that the military descriptive piece entitled "A Day at West Point," which is one of the numbers on the programme for the concert to be given at Lumina next Sunday night, is one of the most elaborate productions of its kind ever presented at any of the Lumina concerts. As the title suggests, the piece is descriptive of life in the barracks, beginning with "reveille" and ending with "taps." The piece includes fife and drum corps music, bugle calls, "boots and saddles," and other effects suggestive of military life.

Maxton Scottian Chief, 18th: "Captain J. C. Everett and son Frank, and son-in-law, Mr. Schmoele, of Norfolk, returned from the sound in his Cadillac, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Schmoele came on the train. They had a delightful outing.——Rev. A. McCullen, presiding elder of Rockingham district, passed up the Seaboard Wednesday evening from the beach for his home with his daughter who has been suffering an attack of nervous prostration.——Mrs. S. D. McRae and daughters, Misses Emma Belle, Minnie Lou and Mrs. R. M. Williams left Wednesday morning for Wrightsville Beach to spend a couple of weeks.——Mr. June McKay, the popular young salesman at Barnes Bros. drug store, left Sunday for his vacation. He is at White Lake this week, from thence he will join the Maxton party at Wrightsville Beach, who are occupying a cottage at the only beerless beach on the Atlantic."

Among the arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday were J. D. Rawls, Marion, S. C.; John J. McGee, Atlanta; Mrs. O. C. Bullock, Misses M. Post, Agnes Cook, Margaret Gordon, Florence Hatcher, Mrs. Frank Lumans and Miss Frances Lumans, Columbus, Ga.; E. W. Boney, Mrs. Aileen Terrell, Mrs. Bess Harding, Miss M. E. Ruffin, Miss Marian McClelland, Mrs. J. H. Ruffin, Miss Minnie Foote, Mrs. A. M. Drake, Mrs. L. D. Grimes, C. D. Cabaness, Mrs. D. M. Cabaness, Mrs. M. L. Myrick, Mrs. John M. Hill, Mrs. M. H. Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Wilhelm, Miss Dorothy Wilhelm, A. L. Bell and Wilmer Angier, Atlanta; Mrs. A. Cobb, Royster, Ga.; W. H. Hickman, Dr. Archibald Smith, B. Goldeman, Macon, Ga.; C. M. Stevens and C. W. Tomlinson, Chattanooga, Tenn.; S. L. Beeker, Macon; C. T. Patterson, C. R. Brown and L. J. Forester, Cartersville, Ga.; Thomas Waters, Rome, Ga.; N. M. Gallant Charlotte; H. B. Charles, Washington; Mrs. J. W. Green, Atlanta; Mrs. J. W. Bell and Miss Effie Bell, Griffin, Ga.; W. B. Paul, Atlanta.

Included in the arrivals at the Seashore Hotel yesterday were Misses Jessie and Sadie Lipscomb, Gaffney, S. C.; J. F. Hill and T. F. Hill, Durham; Miss Polly Shipman, Frank Hipp, C. M. Ramspeck, H. L. Graves, Misses F. Bostick, Ruth Nixon, M. Johnson, Marie Riley and Belle Thompson, Mrs. J. W. Riley and R. A. Riley, Atlanta; S. L. Becker, Macon; Mrs. Eugene Sykes and Miss Bonitz Sykes, Aberdeen, Miss.; Mrs. N. M. Henderson, Miss Louise Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Giffin, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. F. J. Cooledge, Miss Mary Cooledge, R. P. King and Henry Hall, Atlanta; Misses Alice and Eva S. Moore, Charlotte; Mrs. W. L. Groves, Misses Martha and Jack Long, Rome, Ga.; T. M. Brady, Misses W. Welch and Laura Grant, Mrs. J. W. Green and Miss Ethel Green, Atlanta; Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Ashworth, R. C. Rountree, A. C. Venable, Birmingham, Ala.; Mrs. John F. Riley, Miss Corinne Riley and James Riley, Greenville, Miss.; Mrs. L. F. Foster, Miss Elizabeth Loring, Miss Edna Jones, Dr. J. W. Riley, Mrs. R. I. Converse, Miss Mabel Jones, Miss Eliza Bridewell and Miss Mildred Converse, Atlanta.

ATLANTA VISITOR MAKES REPLY TO CRITICISM.

The writer has visited most of the coast Summer resorts, but none which, in his opinion, compare, even favorably, with Wrightsville Beach.

In the Morning Star of Tuesday, July 15th, under the head of "Wrightsville Beach" you published what appeared to the writer to be a more or less sarcastic criticism by "Polly Peachtree" in regard to the prohibition of the turkey trot at Lumina.

One of the most attractive features of the beach is Lumina. It is beautifully built and the management is to be congratulated on the splendid way in which it is conducted. Numbers of people have stated openly that it is the best conducted public pavilion they have ever known.

To allow so-called turkey trotting at Lumina, especially such as are conducted at other places, not only would be foolish but would also absolutely kill the present popularity of the place. To my personal knowledge there are a great many Atlanta people and generally a large majority from other cities who would not go to Lumina if "turkey trotting" were permitted, and certainly are not depending on such things to make their stay at the beach a pleasant one.

A. VISITOR.

THE MONEY QUESTION.

House Democrats on Banking and Currency Committee Hold Meeting.

Washington, July 18.—A brief session of the Democrats of the House Banking and Currency committee today concluded consideration of that section of the administration currency bill relating to bank examiners. No material changes were made. The committee members discussed the question of allowing banks to loan on real estate security and a lively discussion followed, but took no action.

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STATE GROCERS ORGANIZE.

Carolina Association Formed in Charlotte Thursday.

The wholesale grocers of North Carolina attending the sessions of the annual convention of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association in Charlotte, Thursday morning formed a State association with the election of J. F. Ray, of Reidsville, as president; J. C. Gregerson, of Siler City, vice president, and R. E. Steele, of Greensboro, secretary and treasurer. Mr. F. E. Hashagen was elected a member of the board of directors and the other members are E. E. Mendenhall, F. G. Henderson, C. O. Kuester, J. H. Patrick, W. H. Weatherly, and J. S. Atkinson.

The newly formed organization adopted resolutions supporting Governor Craig in his fight in behalf of better freight rates, and urged the calling of a special session of the Legislature when it shall be deemed expedient to carry out the programme of the State in the matter.

The meeting also introduced equally stringent resolutions against the intra-State railway rates between certain sections of the State and the service which is given by the railroads; and declared these two factors conducive of decreased business between the sections and of great difficulty in sending products from one section of the State to another.

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TRUSTEES' SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power conferred upon me in a deed of trust executed on the 13th day of June, 1911, by W. A. Simpkins and wife and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for New Hanover County in Book of Mortgages 61, page 427, and at the request of the holder of the note described in said deed of trust, I will, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, 1913, at 12 o'clock, M., at the Court House door at Wilmington, North Carolina, sell for cash to the highest bidder the following described land:

First tract.—Beginning at the Southeast corner of a tract of land now in the possession of Mrs. Mills, on the North edge of the old Newbern road, and runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern edge of the said old Newbern road about 200 feet to the Southwestern corner of a tract of land now or lately in the possession of Mrs. Oldenbuttle, and thence with said Oldenbuttle's Western line North 3 deg. E. 2,000 feet to a stake; thence South 89 deg. W. about 209 feet to Mills' line; thence with Mills' line South 3 deg. W. to the beginning, containing 10 acres.

2nd. tract.—Beginning in the dividing line between Oldenbuttle's tract and the tract of D. N. Chadwick, the same being the Western line of a tract of land conveyed to Lilly M. R. Oldenbuttle by Steven W. Noble and wife, by deed dated the 27th of October, 1891, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book S, page 422 et seq., and corrected by deed dated the 3rd day of May, 1894, and recorded in Book 13, at pages 344 et seq., of the records of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, at a point where said dividing line is intersected by the Northern line of the right of way of the connecting line between the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, and the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, and the said points being 600 feet Northwardly from the old Newbern dirt road, and runs thence Northwardly with said dividing line about 1,500 feet to the Northern line of the said tract; thence Eastwardly with the said Northern line 200 feet to the Eastern line of said tract; thence Southwardly with the said Eastern line to the right of way of said railroad; thence Westwardly with said railroad to the beginning, the same being all that part of a tract of land conveyed to the said Lilly M. R. Oldenbuttle by Steven W. Noble and wife as aforesaid, which is now lying North of the said connecting line of railroads, both of which said deeds, for more certainty of description, are made a part hereof.

3rd tract.—Beginning at W. H. Mills' Northwest corner of the Hardwick tract, 200 feet Westwardly from the pine stump marking the old Hardwick line, and runs thence Northwardly 4 deg. 30 min. East 746 feet to a stone marked D. N. C.; thence South 88 deg. E. 1,034 84-100 feet to a stone marked D. N. C.; thence S. 4 deg. 30 min. West 880¾ feet to a stone marked D. N. C.; Wentzenstein's corner; thence North 85 deg. 30 min. W. with Wentzenstein's back line, and the back line of D. N. Chadwick, 626 13-100 feet to a stone in W. H. Mills' back line; thence North 4 deg. 30 min. East 146 feet to Mills' Northeast corner, and thence North 85 deg. 30 min. West 408 71-100 feet to the beginning, containing 20 acres, more or less.

4th tract.—Beginning at a ditch bank at W. H. Mills' and D. N. Chadwick's corner of his 20-acre tract, a stone marked D. N. C.; thence North 40 deg. West 5 chains and 37 links to a stake near a water oak; thence North 45 deg. West 10 chains to a stake on a cart road; thence North 76¾ deg. West 11 chains and 96 links to a stake near a cedar tree on the East side of a neighborhood road; thence along the East edge of said road North 10 deg. 45 min. East 30 chains and 82 links to a cypress knee on the bank of the South side of Smith's Creek; thence up the various courses of said creek to a large cypress tree a little above a woodland; thence due East 81 links to a lightwood post near and on the South side of a large hollow black gum tree; thence due South 32 chains and 90 links to a stake in said D. N. Chadwick's Northern line of his 20-acre tract; thence with said line North 88 deg. West 2 chains and 68 links to a stone marked D. N. C., a corner of the said D. N. Chadwick's 8-acre tract; thence with said Chadwick's line of said tract South 4¼ deg. West 11 chains and 44 links to the beginning, containing 52¼ acres.

All of said land hereinbefore described being the same conveyed to W. A. Simpkins by D. N. Chadwick, Jr., by deed duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book 62, page 73.

Said sale is made by reason of the failure of W. A. Simpkins and wife to pay off and discharge the indebtedness described in said deed of trust.

This 15th day of July, 1913.

JOHN D. BELLAMY, Trustee.

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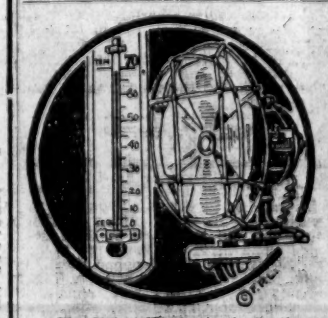

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON TAKES UPWARD TURN

Renewed Nervousness Over the Crop Situation—Old Crop Positions Relatively Dull and Easy—Scattering Liquidation

New York, July 18.—Renewed nervousness over the crop situation sent the cotton market higher during today's trading with October contracts making new ground for the movement. Old crop positions were relatively dull and easy under a little scattering liquidation attributed to the circulation of a few July notices, but recovered early losses and the general list closed very steady net unchanged to 12 points higher.

Easier Liverpool cables and a favorable report on the Texas crop outlook by a prominent traveling expert probably accounted for some scattered selling at the start, and first prices were two to five points under the closing figures of last night. The market quickly steadied, however, on the failure of the weather may to show any sign of privately protracted showers in the Southwest and the official forecast for continued dry weather with the exception of local showers in some Eastern belt sections added to the activity of the covering movement.

After selling some five to six points up on new crop positions, demand slackened and prices slipped off a few points but the detailed weather reports showing very high temperatures in the Eastern belt, started fresh buying and the market reached the best point of the day in the late trading. Bullish week-end figures may have contributed to the recovering of the near months, but trading in both July and August was quiet, and the chief interest seemed to center in the new crop outlook.

A prominent Georgia authority, reviewing crop conditions during the week, said that they had been favorable over 80 per cent of the belt, unfavorable over 10 per cent and injurious as to the balance which was considered a fairly good showing, but more numerous reports of deterioration were received from scattering points in the Western belt and late in the afternoon there seemed to be some bull support as well as a continued demand from shorts. Liverpool attributed the decline there to a smaller spot demand and continental selling.

Spot cotton, quiet. Middling uplands, 12.40; do. gulf, 12.65; sales, 1,400 bales.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.18	12.20	12.14	12.21
Aug	12.02	12.13	12.02	12.13
Sept	11.63	11.72	11.70	11.81
Oct	11.45	11.60	11.44	11.60
Nov				11.51
Dec	11.35	11.50	11.35	11.51
Jan	11.30	11.44	11.30	11.44
Feb				11.46
Mar	11.37	11.50	11.36	11.51
May	11.40	11.53	11.40	11.55

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12 5-16; net receipts, 1,185; gross receipts, 1,185; sales, 963; stock, 39,484; Great Britain, 2,629; coastwise, 195.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 7-16; net receipts, 574; gross receipts, 576; sales, 108; stock, 34,363; coastwise, 1,153.

Mobile—Quiet, 12.00; net receipts, 77; stock, 2,963.

Savannah—Firm, 12.00; net receipts, 879; gross receipts, 879; sales, 70; stock, 24,751; coastwise, 871.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 18; gross receipts, 18; stock, 3,796; coastwise, 448.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12.00; net receipts, 19; gross receipts, 19; stock, 10,245.

Norfolk—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 920; gross receipts, 920; sales, 145; stock, 16,363; coastwise, 1,007.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12½; net receipts, 546; gross receipts, 546; stock, 5,887.

New York — Quiet, 12.40; net receipts, 902; gross receipts, 1,400; stock, 33,225; coastwise, 728.

Boston—Quiet, 12.40; gross receipts, 402; stock, 6,624.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.65; gross receipts, 140; stock, 652; continent, 50.

Texas City—Net receipts, 24; gross receipts, 24; stock, 2,108; coastwise, 112.

Brunswick—Stock, 5,688.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 75; gross receipts, 75; stock, 485; coastwise, 91.

Newport News—Net receipts, 661; gross receipts, 661; coastwise, 661.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 4,908; Great Britain, 2,629; continent, 50; stock, 180,604.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 20,126; Great Britain, 15,041; France, 400; continent, 12,920.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,755,675; Great Britain, 3,474,999; France, 958,730; continent, 3,449,278; Japan, 384,020; Mexico, 14,774.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12 3-16; net receipts, 457; gross receipts, 457; shipments, 2,216; sales, 286; stock, 35,671.

Augusta—Steady, 12¾; shipments, 168; sales, 97; stock, 14,891.

Memphis—Quiet, 12¾; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 29; shipments, 25; sales, 200; stock, 23,957.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12 5-16; net receipts, 58; gross receipts, 679; shipments, 1,101; stock, 16,854.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 842; gross receipts, 842; shipments, 130; stock, 23,322.

Little Rock—Steady, 12.00; net receipts, 257; gross receipts, 257; shipments, 207; stock, 12,872.

Louisville—Firm, 12¾; net receipts, 58; shipments, 159; stock, 150.

Greenville—Quiet, 12.00.

Total today—Net receipts, 1,037; gross receipts, 2,258; shipments, 3,911; sales, 742; stock, 127,719.

THE LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 18.—Spot cotton, quiet and easier. American middling fair, 727; good middling, 693; middling, 669; low middling, 649; good ordinary, 601; ordinary, 567.

Sales, 6,000 bales, including 5,500 American and 500 for speculation and export. Receipts, 8,000 bales, including 6,800 American. Futures closed very steady. July, 6.44½; July and August, 6.44; August and September, 6.37; September and October, 6.23½; October and November, 6.19; November and December, 6.14½; December and January, 6.14; January and February, 6.14; February and March, 6.15½; March and April, 6.16½; April and May, 6.17½; May and June, 6.18½; June and July, 6.18¾.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼ to 2½ per cent.; last loan, 2¼; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼. Time loans, easier; sixty days, 4@4¼ per cent.; ninety days, 5@5¼; six months, 6. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8315 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.8065 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83. Bar silver, 59¼; Mexican dollars, 47.

THE NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Turpentine, steady. Rosin—Easy.

Savannah, July 18.—Turpentine, firm, at 35¾; sales, 1,317; receipts, 800; shipments, 474; stocks, 26,012.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 851; receipts, 2,208; shipments, 782; stocks, 149,868. Quote: A, B, C, D, 4.20 to 4.25; E, F, 4.20 to 4.30; G, H, I and K, 4.25 to 4.30; M, 4.65; N, 5.40; W G, 6.30; W W, 6.35.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Buyers of wash goods are applying themselves principally to novelties for Spring. Percales are being sold to the cutting trades for Spring deliveries. Jobbers report a good house trade on printed crepes and ratines. Local wool markets are very quiet. Silk buyers find merchandise scarce.

THE WHEAT MARKET RALLIES

Substantial Gains Recorded in All of the Leading Staples—Closing Prices Were Steady at an Advance.

Chicago, July 18.—Spreading of black rust had considerable to do with rallying the wheat market after an early decline. Closing prices were steady at an advance of 1-4 to 1-2c net. Other leading staples also made gains—corn 1-2 to 5-8c; oats 1-2 to 3-4c and provisions 5 to 12 1-2c.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, new, 87@87½; No. 2, red, new, 86@86½; No. 2, hard, new, 87½@88; No. 2, hard, old, 88½@89; No. 1, Northern, 91@92½; No. 2, Spring, 90@91; velvet chaff, 87@91; durum, 84@90.

Corn—No. 2, 62@62¾; No. 2, white, 63¾@63½; No. 2, yellow, 62¼@62¾.

Oats—No. 2, white, 41¾@42½; standard, 40¾@42.

Wheat—July, 86¼; September, 87; December, 90¾@90⅝.

Corn—July, 61; September, 61¼; December, 58⅝.

Oats—July, 38⅝; September, 39⅛; December, 41¼.

Pork—July, 22.10; September, 21.35.

Lard—July, 11.80; September, 11.92½; October, 11.97½; January, 10.72½@10.75.

Ribs—July, 11.87½; September, 11.95; October, 11.72½@11.75; January, 10.20.

WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW.

Considerable Nervousness During Past Week—Trading Inactive.

New York, July 18.—The cotton market has shown considerable nervousness over a strengthening old crop situation and apprehensions of new crop damage, as the result of continued dry hot weather or boll weevil activity, during the past week.

Trading has not been active enough to suggest any material broadening of interest, owing partly, perhaps, to legislative uncertainties, but the undertone has been generally steady, and October contracts made new high ground for the month. Crop reports have been conflicting, and many advices coming in from both Western and Eastern sections continue to report favorable prospects, but claims of deterioration as a result of insufficient moisture in the Southwest seemed a little more numerous toward the end of the week, and a private report published on Thursday, suggested a loss of about 1 1-2 per cent. in the crop's condition since the compilation of the July bureau. Then, too, temperatures in the Eastern belt ranging as high as 107 degrees at one of the Georgia stations have led to apprehensions of damage to cotton grown on light or highly fertilized soil, and while the situation did not seem sufficiently acute to inspire any general buying movement sellers have certainly showed increased caution. The short interests, in fact, are supposed to have considerably reduced pending a change in weather conditions, or increased offerings from the South.

Further shipments from New York have reduced the certificated stock to less than 25,000 bales, and while international houses have been sellers of both July and August, the small supply avaliable here is considered partly responsible for the relative firmness of October. Some authorities are predicting a large August movement of new crop cotton from Texas this season, although the first bale was received later than usual, but at present there is little or no pressure of actual cotton reported, and but little has been heard so far of Southern hedge selling. Owing partly to the high basis demanded for new crop shipments, domestic mills have so far shown little interest, but were reported moderate buyers this week, and according to the census bureau, lost stock to the extent of 209,000 bales during June.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, July 18.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	3,796,632
New Orleans	1,424,274
Mobile	225,537
Savannah	1,275,569
Charleston	306,072
Wilmington	342,453
Norfolk	537,008
Baltimore	76,600
New York	15,242
Boston	45,576
Newport News	112,402
Philadelphia	5,144
San Francisco	253,037
Brunswick	239,801
Pensacola	125,317
Portland, Ore	3,891
Port Arthur	139,041
Jacksonville	15,436
Texas City	666,875
Laredo, Tex	3,052
Seattle	34,536
Tacoma	68,612
Aransas Pass	31,798
Georgetown	110
Minor Ports	11,464
Total bales	9,755,675

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, July 18.—For the week ending Friday, July 18:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 20,726.

Net receipts, at all U. S. ports same week last year, 11,348.

Total receipts since September 1st, 9,755,675.

Total receipts to same date last year, 11,827,905.

Exports for the week, 28,361.

Exports for same week last year, 27,066.

Total exports since September 1st, 8,281,771.

Total exports same date last year, 10,238,003.

Stock at all United States ports, 186,644.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 266,172.

Stock at all interior towns, 102,043.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 110,039.

Stock at Liverpool, 835,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 880,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain, 29,000.

HESTER'S STATEMENT.

Reviewing the Situation on the New Orleans Exchange.

New Orleans, July 18.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans cotton statement issued today shows for the 18 days of July an increase in the totals over last year of 8,000 and an increase over the same period year before last of 42,000.

For the 321 days of the season that have elapsed the aggregate is behind the 321 days of last year 2,177,000.

The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 32,951 bales against 25,460 for the seven days ending this date last year, and for the 18 days of July it has been 79,798 against 71,329 last year.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.

New Orleans, July 18.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, based today, shows the total visible is 2,921,387, against 3,084,920 last week, and 2,828,787 last year.

Mrs. Frank Pearson

will sing at both afternoon and night concerts at Lumina tomorrow.

(Afternoon.)

(advertisement.)

VIGOROUS RISE IN STOCKS

Trading Was on Larger Scale Than During Several Weeks Past—Movements Following the European Markets.

New York, July 18.—The forward movement in stocks was resumed today with vigor. Trading was on a considerably larger scale and the rise was the most comprehensive of several weeks. Steel, Union Pacific, Reading, Canadian Pacific, Smelting, Harvester and various other stocks mounted two points or more, with lesser gains for most of the remainder of the list. The course of the market illustrated the close connection existing between conditions here and in foreign centers. London was a buyer of stocks here and Paris and Berlin also made purchases on direct orders. Arbitrage brokers estimated foreign buying at 20,000 or more shares, principally of Canadian Pacific, Union Pacific, Steel and Amalgamated. The appearance here during the week of foreign money for short term loans gave convincing evidence of easier monetary conditions abroad, a change assumed to be responsible primarily for betterment of the European securities market.

Movement of stocks here the last few days have followed the European markets. Prices rose abroad Wednesday and today, and an advance here followed. Yesterday's reaction in London was followed by a reaction here. In addition to foreign buying, brokers said there was better demand for investment stock here today than had been the case for some time. The course of New Haven was watched closely owing to the announcement over night of President Mellen's resignation. Traders who viewed this development as bullish bought the stock, marking up the prices 2 points Subsequently it fell off sharply, closing at a loss on the day of 2 1-2. New Haven 6s lost 1 1-2.

Bonds were firm. Total sales par value $1,665,000. Panama 3s registered and coupon declined 1-4 on call. Total sales today were 320,700 shares, including American Tobacco 1,500; A. C. L. 100; C. & O. 900; Lehigh Valley 6,300; L. & N. 600; N. & W. 400; Reading 35,300; S. A. L. 200; do preferred 100; Southern Railway 700; Tennessee Copper 1,200; Union Pacific 31,500; United States Steel 89,000; V. C. C. 100.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	67½
American Agricultural	47
American Beet Sugar	22
American Can	30⅝
American Can, pfd	91½
American Car and Foundry	42⅞
American Cotton Oil	37
American Ice Securities	21½
American Linseed	8¼
American Locomotive	29
Amer. Smelting and Ref	61⅞
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	98½
American Sugar	109
American Tel and Tel	127½
American Tobacco	217
Anaconda Mining Co	33⅜
Atchison	98⅝
Atchison, pfd	96½
Atlantic Coast Line	117½
Baltimore and Ohio	95⅛
Bethlehem Steel	30½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87⅜
Canadian Pacific	217
Central Leather	21⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	54
Chicago Great Western	13¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	104⅛
Chicago and North Western	128
Colorado Fuel and Iron	29¼
Consolidated Gas	131
Corn Products	10⅜
Delaware and Hudson	153
Denver and Rio Grande	16⅝
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	26½
Distillers' Securities	12¼
Erie	25⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	39⅝
Erie, 2nd pfd	32½
General Electric	139⅛
Great Northern, pfd	124
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	32¼
Illinois Central	113
Interborough-Met	15½
Interborough-Met., pfd	57⅜
Inter Harvester	104
Inter-Marine, pfd	14
International Paper	8¾
International Pump	6
Kansas City Southern	27½
Laclede Gas	94½
Lehigh Valley	147⅜
Louisville and Nashville (ex. div.)	131¾
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	125¼
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	20¾
Missouri Pacific	31¾
National Biscuit	112¼
National Lead	45½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	10¾
New York Central	97¾
New York, Ont. and Western	28⅞
Norfolk and Western	104½
North American	69
Northern Pacific	107¾
Pacific Mail	18
Pennsylvania	112⅞
People's Gas	111⅛
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	90
Pittsburg Coal	17⅜
Pressed Steel Car	23¼
Pullman Palace Car	152½
Reading	155⅞
Republic Iron and Steel	20
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	79
Rock Island Co	16¾
Rock Island Co., pfd	25¾
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	4⅜
Seaboard Air Line	17½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	41
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	25
Southern Pacific	92¾
Southern Railway	21⅞
Southern Railway, pfd	76
Tennessee Copper	29
Texas and Pacific	14½
Union Pacific	147⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	83½
United States Realty (ex. div.)	59⅜
United States Rubber	59⅜
United States Steel	56⅛
United States Steel, pfd	104⅝
Utah Copper	43⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	26
Wabash	2½
Wabash, pfd	6½
Western Maryland	41
Western Union	69½
Westinghouse Electric	59⅜
Wheeling and Lake Erie	5

THE NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Flour—Firm.

Wheat—Firm. No. 2, red, 94¼; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 1.00¾.

Corn—Firm. Export, 69¾.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Leather—Firm.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar — Raw, firm. Muscovado, 3.07; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.57; refined, steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Coffee—Spot, steady; No. 7, Rio, 9¼c.; Santos, No. 4, 11¼c.; mild, dull; Cordova, 13@16¼c., nominal.

Potatoes—Barely steady; Southern, new, white, barrel, 1.87@2.37; red, 1.87@2.12.

Cabbages—Easy. Long Island and Jersey, 75c.@1.25 per 100.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Higher, early, on demand from old crop shorts and new speculative buying of late months, inspired by the strength in lard and existing big discounts under October. Later in the session there was a moderate reaction under realizing. Closing prices were 1 to 3 points net higher on near and three lower to two higher on late months, with sales of 14,500 barrels. Prime crude, nominal; prime Summer yellow, spot, 9.10; July, 9.11; August, 9.12; September, 9.11; October, 7.91; November, 6.81; December, and January, 6.62; February, 6.60. Prime Winter yellow and Summer white, 9.25.

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Steamers.

Str. Queen Elizabeth, 2,785 tons, Munroe, South America, Meide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 34⅝ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.80 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks 9½c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per berrel for dip, and $2.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 42½; rosin, $5.90; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@$4.50 to $4.50.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	11
Rosin	32
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 40 casks; rosin, 27 barrels; tar, 115 barrels; crude turpentine, — barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot cotton, quiet, 12c.

Receipts, — Same day last year, —.

Total receipts since September 1, 441,609 bales.

Total receipts, same time last year, 508,629 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 12.)

CORN—1.65 to 1.72½ per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, 50c to 75c per bu. Sweet potatoes y,ams, .75 to .90.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.00@$2.25 to $2.40; cow peas, $1.50 to $1.75 per bu.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11c to 15c. per lb.; free of burs, 15c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 20 to 21c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 45@50c.; Spring chickens, 12½@35c. per head.

EGGS—Dull, 18@19c.

SHEEP—Old sheep, 75c to $2.50 per head. Lambs, $1.00 to $3.00 per head.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C., July 18.

Schr. Louise—4 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

Total — 4 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., July 12.

Market—Firm.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 75c.; machine-picked, 70c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.50; machine-picked, $1.40.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine-picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., July 15.—Spanish—Market, firm. Farmers' Spanish, $1.65 per bushel; stock exhausted. No. 1, shelled, 10 to 10½c. per pound. No. 2, shelled, 7¼ to 7¾c. per pound.

Virginias—Market, firm. Fancy jumbo, 4¼c. per pound. Hand-Picked, 4c. per pound. Extra prime, 3⅝ to 3¾c. per pound. Prime, 3½c. per pound. Machine picked, 3¼ to 3⅜c. per pound. Shelling stock, 2⅝ to 3¼c. per pound.

DUN'S REVIEW

Progress Slow But Business Trend Is In Right Direction

New York, July 18.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

The trend of business still is in the right direction, even though progress is slow. This is ordinarily a dull season, and various restraining factors curtail activity, yet encouraging features are manifest, and cheerful views predominate. In the great crop-producing regions optimism is general owing to prospects of another prosperous year on the farms. Eastern financial markets recently have been confronted with an unusual array of adverse influences. Sentiment responded to the agreement to arbitrate the railway labor controversy, and the offerings of foreign funds at this center, both of which tended to offset the developments in the Mexican situation. Changes in strictly commercial and industrial conditions are mainly favorable, with improvement some instances quite pronounced. Wholesale distribution continues restricted but warm weather has stimulated the retail demand for seasonable clothing and footwear.

Mid-Summer shutdowns of the steel mills were of brief duration. More activity is apparent in pig iron, the buying movement broadening under the stimulus of flower quotations. Traffic returns indicate continued gains in railroad gross earnings over last year—the increase during the first week of July being 4.4 per cent—but bank exchanges this week declined 5.3 per cent owing mainly to the dullness in speculation channels. There was, however, a slight improvement of 0.4 per cent as compared with 1911.

Commercial failures this week in the United States were 272, against 250 of the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 36 against 37 last year.

AVIATOR AT ISLE OF PALMS.

William S. Lucky to Demonstrate at Coast Resort This Week.

Isle of Palms, S. C., July 16.—William S. Luckey, of New York City, a Curtiss aviator of wide reputation for skill and daring, will make exhibition flights from here to Charleston and return and also at the beach on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, reserving his best stunts for the crowds that throng to the beach from all parts of South Carolina, North Carolina and Georgia on Sunday.

Mr. Luckey has brought a hydro-aeroplane with him, in order to demonstrate what the latest idea in flying machines can accomplish on water as well as on land, and his machine is capable of developing a speed of 125 miles an hour, with the wind. This is the first time that the hydro-aeroplane has been seen in this part of the country, and in the South, with the exception of Florida. Visitors are expected to visit the Isle of Palms this week from far and near to witness the daring flying feats that Mr. Luckey purposes to accomplish, if a fatal accident does not interrupt his plans.

The New York aviator is a man of 38 years who, in 1911, decided to divide his time between the business of leather manufacturing and aviation, quite a contrast of occupations. He has flown in Canada, New York and in many other States, making 400 flights since he entered the aviation field, and escaping narrowly many serious accidents by his steady nerve and mastery of his machine.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 19, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 80 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; rainfall for the month to date, 1.47.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 1.7 feet.

Weather Prediction.

For North Carolina—Local showers Saturday; Sunday, fair; light to moderate variable winds.

The Port Calendar—July 19.

Sun rises	5:11 A. M.
Sun sets	7:22 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 24 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	10:17	10:40	3:41	5:51
Southport	8:34	8:52	2:45	2:42
Masonboro Inlet	8:23	8:41	2:25	2:22

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 18, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest. Last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	96	72	.0
Asheville	clear	94	68	.0
Atlanta	clear	98	76	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	98	74	.0
Birmingham	clear	98	72	.0
Boston	cloudy	68	68	.24
Charleston	clear	90	80	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	100	74	.0
Chicago	cloudy	76	66	.01
Galveston	clear	88	78	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	96	74	.02
Memphis	clear	94	78	.0
Mobile	pt cldy	96	78	.0
Montgomery	clear	100	74	.0
New Orleans	pt cldy	92	76	.0
New York	pt cldy	82	62	.08
Oklahoma	clear	98	72	.0
Palestine	clear	96	72	.0
Pittsburg	clear	82	66	.0
Raleigh	clear	98	74	.0
Savannah	clear	92	74	.0
Shreveport	clear	96	74	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	102	80	.0
Washington	clear	88	70	.22

WOMAN KILLED ON S. A. L.

In Two Steps of Safety Aged Woman Crushed Near Lumberton.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 18.—While crossing the track at the National cotton mills, two miles above here, at 10 o'clock this morning, Mrs. Dolia Blackburn, 65 years old, was struck by the first section of train No. 14, on the Seaboard, and was injured so badly that she died an hour lated.

The train was composed of Pullmans carrying people from Birmingham and Atlanta to Wrightsville, and although running at high speed, was stopped by the time it had run half its length.

The lady wore a sunbonnet and went to cross over without looking up. The engineer sounded his whistle of warning, but witnesses say she seemed to forget herself and stopped when another step or two would have saved her. Where the accident occurred frains can be seen two or three miles either way.

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No. 3	9,000	No. 15	4,565	No. 27	5,795
No. 4	5,905	No. 16	6,640	No. 28	4,700
No. 5	6,085	No. 17	5,235	No. 29	4,000
No. 6	7,750	No. 18	5,835	No. 30	9,080
No. 7	5,225	No. 19	5,725	No. 31	5,425
No. 8	7,435	No. 20	5,000	No. 32	2,200
No. 9	6,020	No. 21	6,210	No. 33	3,715
No. 10	6,315	No. 22	4,280	No. 34	2,150
No. 11	6,080	No. 23	6,165	No. 35	6,000
No. 12	4,550	No. 24	4,250		

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MAJORITY SUBMITS REPORT ON TARIFF

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business that is not susceptible of just taxation in any other way.

"The committee is advised that since 1907 no official record of the extent of the dealings on the cotton exchanges in contracts for future delivery is accessible to the public, but reliable estimates fix these dealings at about 130,000,000 bales annually in recent years. It seems to be the consensus of opinion that about 10 per cent of the contracts of sale and purchase of cotton for fuure delivery is embraced in that branch of the business known as hedging, and that the other 90 per cent thereof is of a speculative or gambling character, where no delivery of the product is ever really intended to be made.

Cotton Future Tax $7,000,000.

"If the effect of the proposed tax is to eliminate all of the latter class of business and to leave intact that part of the dealings resorted to for hedging purposes, the revenue derived from this tax should amount to about $7,000,000 a year, and if its imposition does not have the effect of eliminating the gambling or speculative end of the business the revenue derived therefrom will be enormously in excess of this amount."

Reduction of the basic exemption from income tax from $4,000 as in the House bill to $3,000 for unmarried persons and the consequent rearrangement of this, the report comments upon as follows:

"Our committee reduces the amount of exemption of net income to $3,000 and allows on account of marriage an additional exemption of $1,000 to either the husband or wife where they are living together, but not of both. In the case of a minor child or children living with and dependent upon the parent such parent is allowed an additional exemption of $500 for one minor child and up to $1,000 on account of minor children, except where both parents are taxable, in which case no exemption is allowable on account of children. By the amendment the lowest possible exemption to any one person would be $3,000 and the highest possible exemption to any one person $5,000. While the amendment may make no wide difference in the volume of revenue derivable from the tax, it is deemed equitable as recognizing the added obligations on account of marriage and children and salutary as emphasizing the family as the unit in our social structure."

Farmers' Free List.

The changes in all the schedules are dealt with at length in the report. Of agricultural products, many of which were transferred to the free list in addition to those put there by the House, the committee has this to say:

"The House bill and amendments made by the Committee on Finance fully recognized the paramount interests of our agricultural population by placing agricultural implements of every kind and description, fence and baling wire, cotton bagging and ties, low-priced blankets, boots and shoes, cement, nails, lumber, coal, harness, saddles, cotton gins, wagons, carts, bagging for grain, wool and other bags, sewing machines, and many other products of daily utility on the free list. In common with the rest of our people, our agricultural population will share in the benefits brought about by the reduction of the duties on sugar and its eventual elimination. The substantial reductions made all along the line on cotton and woolen goods, wearing apparel of every description, on crockery, household furnishings, and utensils, hardware, and similar products of our factories, will remove a considerable part of the burden of tariff taxation now borne by the farmer as well as the dweller in the city and the laborer in the factory, fields and mines."

The sugar and wool schedules are left unchanged as to free sugar and free raw wool, but reductions by the Senate committee on wool tops and yarns are explained, and sweeping reductions in the metal schedule are treated in the report with considerable comment. Pig iron, ferromanganese and other products were placed on the free list by the committee and the report says:

"The House bill places iron ore upon the free list mainly because it was found that the domestic supply of iron ore was largely controlled by the United States Steel Corporation and for the purpose of aiding the independent iron and steel manufacturers in their competition with this monopoly.

"For similar reasons the committee on Finance thought that ferromanganese should also be placed upon the free list. The United States Steel Corporation largely controls the domestic ore out of which ferromanganese, which is a necessary material in the manufacture of steel, is produced. This corporation is the only producer of ferromanganese in this country, but produces it only for its own use and consumption. It was thought under these conditions just that the independent competitors of this monopoly should be permitted to import this high priced alloy free of duty, and that with iron ore and ferromanganese on the free list domestic competition would be strengthened and the price of the finished products of iron and steel would be eventually lowered."

A Tariff for Revenue.

Concerning the general revision the Senate committee says that following the lead of the House it "has sought in the amendments it proposes to the House bill to further carry out and perfect the theory of establishing a revenue producing tariff upon the basis of competitive rates, as a just and fair interpretation in the light of existing conditions of the latest authoritative utterances of the party in power upon that subject, and now submits the results of its labors with the confident belief that the enactment into law of the House bill as amended will result in a more equitable distribution of the burdens and incidental benefits of our system of customs' taxation; that it will tend to disintegrate the monopolies built up under the present system; that it will enlarge opportunity through individual effort, reduce the cost of living and relieve the people from the burdens of the protective system, strikingly exemplified in the so-called Payne-Aldrich bill which this measure is intended to supercede."

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION

Two Dead, One Fatally Hurt and Two Others Injured

Decatur, Ala., July 18.—Two are dead, one dying and two others are seriously injured as a result of a boiler explosion near Trinity, this county, today.

The dead are: H. Gay Thrasher and Miss Dyer Bourghina. Richard Thrasher, 13 years old, will die. His skull was fractured. Percy Thrasher, 10 years old, may not survive. Wood McDonald probably will recover.

The explosion demolished a grist and saw mill run by Thrasher. It left a mass of broken and twisted machinery and splintered wood. The report of the explosion was heard for miles.

MADE EFFORTS TO CONTROL ELECTION

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and their money to the great cause which is embodied in the principles of the National Association of Manufacturers."

September 11th, 1908, Mulhall wrote Schwedtman about a visit to Cincinnati and breakfast with A. I. Vorys, Mr. Taft's chief of staff.

"Vorys was an entirely different man to what he was in Chicago," the letter said. "He is more than anxious to have some of our people see Judge Taft and to get our people actively to work. I convinced Vorys that if he wished to get a large percentage of our organization busy he had better get Judge Taft to get into communication with Mr. Van Cleave, Mr. Parry, Mr. Kirby, Mr. Schwedtman and the other leaders. This he claimed he would bring about in the very near future, and wanted me to aid him."

September 14th, 1908, Mulhall wrote Congressman J. Sloat Fassett, of New York, that the manufacturers would be glad to aid him, if he wanted it.

"Fassett declined that aid," said Mulhall. He helped up on some bills, but only because he was a good party man.

"I want to say something also about Swagar Sherley, who was mentioned here the other day. All I know about Mr. Sherley is the letter Emery wrote. I never approached Sherley; I always thought he was above reproach, and I never spoke to the gentleman in my life."

Vorys Makes Denial.

Columbus, O., July 18.—Arthur I. Vorys, who managed the Taft campaign in 1908, issued a statement today denying assertions made by Martin M. Mulhall, before the Senate Investigating committee at Washington.

"I remember that Mulhall came to headquarters" said Vorys, "uninvited and unexpected. He assured me that the Manufacturers' Association was not being given proper recognition, and he wanted me to invite a committee of its members to Washington. I refused to do this.

"There was no question about the manufacturers being for Taft. It was the labor vote that he had to look out for. I never promised the association or any one else that President Taft would name any person to a cabinet position. I regarded Mulhall in the same light I would thousands of persons who swarm around political headquarters in a Presidential year."

Effort to Bribe Gompers.

Martin M. Mulhall gave the committee his story of the alleged effort in 1907 or 1908 to bribe Samuel Gompers to desert the cause of labor and support the policies advocated by the National Association of Manufacturers. He admitted he had no positive information that an attempt to bribe Gompers had actually been made, but he said Atherton Brownell, of New York, had outlined the plans to him and had told him of what was to be done.

Mulhall was excused late this afternoon until Monday morning, on the ground that he was tired after a week of continuous testimony. The committee held a session tonight to hear the testimony of S. W. McClave, of Paterson, N. J., now a candidate for Congress, and with whom Mulhall claimed he worked throughout the campaign of 1910, when McClave was running against William Hughes.

The committee opened the Gompers incident today when newspaper clippings appeared showing that Gompers had made the bribery charges before a court in 1908, and that President Van Cleave of the Manufacturers' Association, had denied all connections with them. Mulhall said he had been referred by Van Cleave and Schwedtman to Mr. Brownell, in New York, who claimed to be conducting a publicity bureau for the association.

Brownell told him, he said, that a man named Brandenburg was following Gompers; that they had a plan fixed up by which they expected to "get" the labor leader; and that they were positive they could not fail. Mulhall said he warned them they would not succeed, and later advised Van Cleave to the same effect.

VanCleave left New York suddenly, the witness said, after telling him that he had nearly "fallen into a trap."

He said they wanted him to go down town to meet those people, but he "got a tip not to go," added Mulhall. "He told me he thought Brownell had more sense than to go into a trap of that kind."

This was the extent of Mulhall's knowledge of the matter. The Gompers story and an unexpected outburst from Mulhall, who complained that officers of the National Association of Manufacturers were trying to "stare him out of countenance," were the enlivening features of a day in which the self-confessed "lobbyist" identified several hundred more of the letters relating to campaign and legislative activities.

Proceedings were running smoothly when Robert M. Carter, attorney for the Manufacturers' Association, tried to interrupt and ask Mulhall a question. The committee has, thus far, permitted no questioning by outside attorneys.

"I refuse to answer any questions from that man," shouted Mulhall.

"Further, I want to tell the committee that those men at that table have kept some one there continuing to stare steadily at me while I have been on the stand. I think it is a contemptible trick. The ex-president (John Kirby, Jr.,) relieved Mr. Emery at the job a little while ago."

Members of the committee tried to soothe the witness, and Acting Chairman Bankhead mildly suggested that Mulhall look at him instead of at his antagonists. Mulhall admitted he was somewhat nervous, but insisted that witnesses have been intimidated since they were brought to Washington "outside as well as inside this committee room."

The Campaign in Indiana.

Letters identified today covered a wide range of activity, but centered chiefly about the campaign in Indiana in 1908, when Mulhall, according to the documents, was working in close co-operation with Congressman James E. Watson, and with National and State Republican leaders. Mulhall told the committee he raised $5,500 for that campaign. One of the letters referred to this amount, and another mentioned a list of manufacturing concerns in South Bend, the proprietors of which had been visited by Mulhall in company with Peter Kline, deputy factory inspector for that district.

"In an interview I had with Mr. Parry and other large business men of this section, they clearly stated they were jumping the law, as far as corporations were concerned, subscribing to our campaign funds," said Mulhall, in a letter to Schwedtman from Indianapolis, September 23, 1908. "There are a hundred and one ways to get around that, and we all know that, and I cannot see why Mr. Van Cleave cannot go around it just as well as the large manufacturers."

In a letter to John Kirby, Jr., from Indianapolis, just after some of the so-called Archbold letters had been made public, referring to Senator Foraker, Mulhall said he still had "faith in Ohio's great Senator," and thought he would win. He expressed surprise that Roosevelt was stirring up the Standard Oil matter, and said, "the President is playing very poor politics."

"Instead of gaining votes, he will find on the third of November that it will be a losing game," said the letter. "Even the Standard Oil Company has its friends, and I cannot understand why a man of his stripe will think it is a crime for a man to honestly work for a corporation of that kind."

SENATE IN BITTER DEBATE YESTERDAY

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from Michigan had become so "subtly inoculated with a comprehension of the dangers" of a public official spending his vacation addressing the people on questions of vital interest to them. He said it could not have been when a Republican President was campaigning at the expense of the taxpayers.

"Where was the voice of protest when a postoffice official turned himself into a great political machine to elect another public official to the Presidency?" he inquired.

"Where was the voice when Major Ray abandoned his post in the army to engage in political work in Chicago for a Presidential candidate? Why were the voices of the Senators silent then? Was it because those men were not Democrats? Where was the voice when officials of previous administrations were speculating on the stock market and on tariff bills?"

By strict party vote, the Senate Democrats succeeded without debate in tabling Senator Bristow's resolution aimed at Secretary Bryan's proposed six weeks lecture tour.

Senators Poindexter and Borah voted with the Democrats to table the resolution. The vote was 41 to 29.

As the vote was announced Senator Bristow faced the Democratic Senators and declared:

"You may shut off debate in the Senate, but you cannot convince the American people that a Secretary of State may neglect the duties of his office for three months of a year."

Vice President Marshall ruled Senator Bristow out of order.

Wouldn't be Shup Up.

"It would be just as reasonable for the Attorney General to take three months off a year to practice law," shouted Senator Bristow, who refused to be shut up. "I think there is a condition before the country that should demand the attention of Congress and the administration in power."

"Are you really apprehensive?" interrupted Senator Vardaman, a Democrat, "that the business of the State Department will suffer because Mr. Bryan is occasionally away?"

"It has been said since this discussion arose," returned Bristow, "that the State Department is beter off with the Secretary away than with him here. But I believe if the Secretary would give to the problems before him the powers of his great intellect he could perform a great service to the country. Whether subordinates in his department are better fitted to attend to the duties than he, I don't know."

Senator Fall suggested that if Secretary Bryan had remained at his post the Senate would have had an answer to its resolution of April 24th asking for the amount of damages to victims of Mexican troubles.

The debate developed a sharp exchange between Bristow and Senator Ashurst when the latter read a letter intended to show that Bristow years ago had expressed a wish to be an "Isthmian Canal Commissioner," with the suggestion that he need not spend much time "on the job."

Senators Get Personal.

"Since I have been a member of the Senate," shouted Bristow, shaking a finger at Ashurst, "I have not spent $100 of the funds of the United States to carry telegrams to my constituents as the Senator from Arizona, many of which should have been paid for by himself."

Senator Ashurst denied the charge absolutely and "dared" Bristow to produce proofs. The whole allegation, he replied, was "wholly baseless and without foundation."

Bristow reiterated that "the Senator has sent at public expense telegrams pertaining to private business."

The letter which precipitated the row was one Bristow had written to Senator Chester I. Long, May 27th, 1906:

"I think I would like to have one of those advisory places on the Canal Commission," it said. "They pay $7,500 and require a visit to the Isthmus once in three months. I could hold it and live in Kansas, being there at least half my time, and when the fight got hot I could resign."

FARMERS PROTEST LAW.

Greensboro's Measure Against Selling Produce Raises Kick.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, July 18.—A delegation of 19 farmers and merchants, representing the Merchants' Association and Farmers' Union, was before the city commissioners this afternoon, urging the repeal of an ordinance that forbids farmers from peddling their produce on the streets, except at the central market, before 10 o'clock in the day.

The commissioners have the matter under advisement, but there has been no intimation as to the outcome. The committee was appointed at a joint meeting of the merchants and farmers last night. The committee this afternoon was vigorous in insisting upon the repeal of the ordinance.

It was argued that the rule was productive of bad feeling and would turn people having produce to sell from Greensboro into the mill villages and suburbs, and that both farmers and consumers would suffer. It was declared that because a similar ordinance had worked successfully in larger cities, did not necessarily convince one that Greensboro was big enough or conditions such that it would work satisfactorily here.

BISHOP M'COY COMING

Will Preside at Greensboro District Conference

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 18.—The Greensboro district conference of the Methodist church will be held next week with the Ramseur church, beginning Tuesday evening with a sermon by Rev. L. P. Bogle, of Reidsville. Rev. G. T. Rowe will preside, as presiding elder, until the arrival of Bishop J. H. McCoy, of Birmingham. The Greensboro district comprises the larger part of Guilford, Rockingham and Randolph counties, with 22 pastorates and nearly 10,000 members. The conference will last until Friday. Bishop McCoy will be in the State for about a month presiding over local conferences, so as to be familiar with the work by the time of the annual conference of Western North Carolina Methodists to be held in Charlotte in November.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, builds up the system. A true Tonic. For adults and children. 50c.
(Advertisement.)

A. & N. C. DIRECTORS NAMED.

Governor Craig Announces Officials for "Old Mullet" Road.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 18.—Governor Craig announced today the appointment of officers and directors for the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, as follows:

Directors—R. W. Taylor, Carteret; T. C. Hyman, Craven; C. E. Foy, Newbern; H. H. Grainger, Lenoir; John Sprague, Wake; K. E. Sutton, Lenoir; C. S. Weskett, Pamlico; Frank Gouch, Robeson county.

President—H. H. Grainger, Lenoir; secretary and treasurer, T. W. Slocumb, Wayne; State's proxy, F. W. Hargett, Onslow; inspector, Albert Rountree, Lenoir; attorney, J. K. Warren, Jones; finance committee, E. W. Timberlake, Wake, and Stacy W. W. Ado, Carteret.

The Atlantic & North Carolina is leased to the Norfolk Southern, though three-fourths of the stock belongs to the State which built it with convict labor. The Norfolk Southern has offered a million dollars for the State's stock and the next General Assembly will settle the bid.

ENFIELD MAN AMBUSHED

Five Shots Fired on Active Prohibitionist But Uone Effective

Enfield, N. C., July 18.—Search is being made and developments are confidently expected in a few days in connection with an attempted secret assault made upon B. D. Mann, a merchant of this place, who was fired at five times from ambush Tuesday night while on his way from his store to his home, about 9 o'clock. None of the shots hit Mr. Mann.

In response to a telephone message to Weldon a detective and bloodhounds came here by automobile. The dogs struck a trail and a negro was captured that night. A hearing was given him yesterday and in the absence of sufficient evidence to hold him, he was released.

Mr. Mann is one of the most highly esteemed citizens of the town and he can assign no reason for the shooting unless it was on account of his activities in aiding in the enforcement of the prohibition law.

YOUR NERVES NEED

Horsford's Acid Phosphate
Recommended for physical and mental exhaustion and nervousness.
(advertisement.)

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

American National Bank—Do This.
Grand Theatre—Motion Pictures.
Lumina—Aquatic Events.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Mule.
Wanted—Investment.
L. T. New—Table Butter.
W. M. Cumming—For Rent.
Madam Josephine—Palmist.
L. T. New—Native Melons.
L. T. New—Spring Chickens.
For Rent—Unfurnished Rooms.
Franklin Institute—Mail Carriers.
Lady Stenographer—Wants Position.
Palace Market—Native Watermelons.

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service; calls will be made for telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams; bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union." But for advertisements, always call the Star Office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

NATIVE MELONS—The finest and largest of the season. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy19-1t

SPRING CHICKENS and grown chickens, any size you want. Also a fresh supply of country eggs at 22 cents a dozen. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy19-1t

BEST TABLE BUTTER, 3 lbs. for $1.00. Irish potatoes, 25 cents a peck. Lemons, 30 cents a dozen. Carola coffee, 30 cents a pound. Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy19-1t

LOST—Bunch of keys, between Second and David streets and Southern Express Co. Finder please return to Henry James, 1204 David street, and get reward. jy19-1t*

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS, suitable for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. Price, reasonable. Apply 518 South Front street. jy19-2t*

NATIVE WATERMELONS and cantaloupes. Fancy dressed chickens, grown, Fall and Spring. All kinds of fresh meats, fruits, vegetables and fancy groceries. See us today, before you do your marketing for Sunday. We have the goods. Palace Market, 108 South Front street; 'phone 72. jy19-1t

I HAVE $100,000 OR MORE for investment in proposition combining safety with good returns and increasing value of security. Address "Investor," care Star. jy19-1t*

LADY STENOGRAPHER with considerable experience, desires position. Can give best of references. Address Box 815, City. jy19-2t*

FOR SALE—One first-class bay mule; weight, about twelve hundred pounds. In fine condition. Reason for selling, have no use for her. Apply to J. T. Foy, Scott's Hill, N. C. jy19a,su-4t*

WILMINGTON MAIL CARRIERS, Postal Clerks, wanted; $65 to $100 month. Vacations; examinations coming. Common education sufficient. Sample questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 276-F, Rochester, N. Y. jy19a,su-18t*

FOR RENT, at $40, that desirable residence, No. 411 So. Third street. W. M. Cumming, Agt., for F. W. Freeman. jy19-1t

PALMIST—Madam Josephine tells your name in full, the object of your call, reads your life like an open book. Carolina Place, Seventeenth and Turnpike. jy19-6t*

CHICKENS—Large, fat Spring chickens, 36 cts. and 40 cts. Large water melons, 30 to 40 cts. Picnic hams, 16 cts. lb. 'Phone 853. Bornemann's. jy19-1t*

POUND CAKES — Like mother bakes; only 50 cts. Walnut layer cakes, 50 cts. Armour's grape juice, quart bottles, 45 cts. 'Phone 853. Bornemann's. jy19-1t*

STEEL RANGES—Another shipments at $15.98. Porth screens from 75 cts. up. Window screens, from 25 cts up, at Bornemann's, 7th and Orange. jy19-1t*

FOUND—At Gilbert's today, extra fine large Spring and Fall chickens; fat, grown hens; fresh eggs; sweet potatoes; N. C. hams and shoulders. 'Phone 772. jy19-1t

LOST—A bunch of keys, somewhere between Fourth and Market and Fifth and Princess streets. Finder will please return to Star office. jy19-1t*

STRAWBERRY, chocolate, vanilla and cherry ice cream, daily. A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co. jy9-tf

UNREDEEMED Singer Sewing Machine, drop head, at a bargain, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, 10 South Front. jy11-tf

WANTED—Salesman to sell Lubricating Oils, House and Barn Paint, and specialties. Big profits. Champion Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. je21-sa13t

FOR SALE at less than cost, Carolina Heights building lot, 40x150 feet, in splendid location. Address "Real Estate Bargain," care Star. jy13-6t

YE LEE'S CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 315 North Front street. 'Phone 1076. Work called for one morning and delivered the next evening, by calling 'phone 1076. Work done in best style. Buttons sewed on. je25-1mo

FOR SALE — Thoroughbred registered mare, four years old, broken to saddle and harness. Call 'phone 1524, or see W. H. Schaefer, 421 South Fifth street, Wilmington, N. C. jy13-6t

ICE COLD WATERMELONS, cantaloupes, guaranteed to be sweet. Fancy Georgia Elberta peaches; all kinds of fresh meats, fruits, vegetables and fancy groceries. Palace Market, 108 S. Front street; 'phone 72. jy17-tf

GO TO THE DuBois Laboratory, when in need of a chemist. Analysis of any description. Prompt report; prices reasonable. 308 N. Ninth street, Wilmington, N. C. jy13-6t*

FOR RENT—Two stalls in clean, cool stable, centrally located. Plenty of room for housing teams. Address "Teams," care Star. jy15-tf

NOTICE—We can arrange to let you have money on easy terms on real estate. See Greer & Greer, Law Office, Second and Princess street, over Tidewater Trust Co. jy6-1mo

Parisian Ivory

The popularity of this ware is ever increasing, and its refined appearance appeals to all. We engrave without charge and fill in with enamel to match your boudoir furnishings.

A. O. Schuster
JEWELER
104 No. Front Street

VISIT THE
Grand Theatre
5 Cents
DAY OR NIGHT
BIG SATURDAY BILL AT THE GRAND TODAY
FOUR PICTURES TODAY
"BUNNY AS A REPORTER"
"HUBBY DOES THE COOKING"
"THREE TO ONE"
"WOMEN, PAST AND PRESENT"

Vacation Time

Before starting on your vacation let us supply you with your toilet articles. Everything new and up-date. With every twenty-five cent package of Williams' Dental Cream, we give a nickle-plated tooth brush holder free.

Vote for the Pony Contest given with every purchase.

Special attention given our Prescription Department.

Telephone 248

ELVINGTON'S PHARMACY
Garrell Building. Second and Princess Streets.

For Sale

We have in stock at the machinery yard, Lingo City, for prompt delivery, 187 pulleys, 400 feet shafting, 21 saw mandrels, 68 collars, 270 boxes, 45 hangers, 10 saws, 1,000 mill files, one edger, two rip saw machines, one lathe machine, one fertilizer mixer, one drag saw, two shingle machines, one jointer, three knife grinders, nine log hauls, 96 gears, 82 sprockets, 200 feet of chain, 16 pumps, 12 engines, 14 boilers, and a complete line of general mill machinery and supplies. We invite you to inspect this before buying.

Machinery Yard,

Wilmington Iron Works

If You Would Be Prosperous —Do This

Nobody ever attained a competence by spending all they earned. Your prosperity begins the minute you open a Savings Account. Even the smallest savings have often been the means of grasping opportunities that lead to wealth.

ONE DOLLAR—If you can't spare more—opens an account at this bank. You get 4 per cent. interest. You can add a small amount to your account each week or month and in a very short time you will have a good stubstantial bank account.

Guide your footsteps to this bank, this very day—for your own sake.

American National Bank
of Wilmington, N. C.

TO CONSUMERS

If you want White, Nutritious Flour, that will make Bread and Biscuit to please you every day and Sunday, too, ask Your Grocer for

And if he hasn't got it, Insist Upon his Getting It for you.

J. W. BROOKS
Wholesale Distributor. Wilmington, N. C.

AUTOIL
Manufactured from best Pennsylvania Crude.

Darlington, S. C., July 9, 1913

Cape Fear Oil Co.,
Wilmington, N. C.

Gentlemen:

Referring to your invoice of Feb. 28th, Auto Oil. We have tried other oil here but that gave more universal satisfaction, and we would ask that you ship us a thirty gallon barrel of this same kind of oil for our auto and truck.

Yours truly,
The Coca Cola Bottling Co.

PICTURE FRAMING

We manufacture PICTURE FRAMES of all sizes, from the latest styles in Gilt and Wood Mouldings.

Special attention to the framing of School Pictures, Diplomas, Certificates, Etc. Orders from out-of-town will meet with prompt attention.

C. W. YATES & CO.

The Languedoc Canal

was the first large canal constructed in Europe, and was opened on May 19th, 1601. The digging of this canal was considered a gigantic undertaking, although it was a small affair compared with our great Panama canal.

This canal was 148 miles long and 6 1-2 feet deep. It cost $3,500,000 and required 15 years to build.

Did you ever think that digging a canal, shovelful by shovelful, is much like building a bank account, dollar by dollar, and while it seems slow work, yet in a few years wonders have been accomplished? A few cents a day or a few dollars a month regularly added to a bank account will provide in a very few years a fund of which one can be proud.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.
4 PER CENT. ON DEPOSITS.

The Growth of Permanent Teeth

is a more important consideration than many people will realize. If you wish an even set of teeth, a little attention in their early growth, will build an attractive set of teeth.

It requires a long continuous effort, for nature to build a set of teeth which must last for life. It is worth your effort to have a systematic habit of giving them several minutes of care daily. To keep them free from decay, is the secret of teeth that create delight from year to year.

One reason my operations do more than their intended purpose—patients become aroused to give teeth more thoughtful care.

Your call today is your profit.

DR. J. W. POWELL, Dentist
Garrell Building.

Mules For Sale

Three small, but good, mules at $100 each, cash or satisfactory paper.

W. B. COOPER
Wilmington, N. C.